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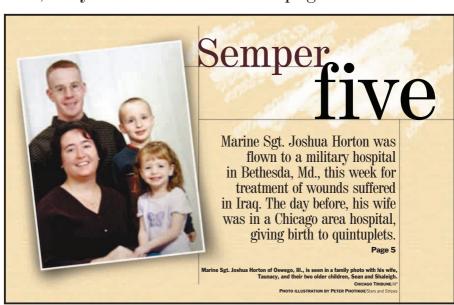


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States

Ex-Klansman in hospital: Former Ku Klux Klansman Bobby Frank Cherry, serving life imprisonment for a church bombing that killed four black girls in 1963, was hospitalized in critical con-dition after his health deteriorated, prison officials said Thursday.

Cherry, 74, was taken from Holman Prison to Atmore Community Hospital on Wednesday, according to Brian Corbett, a spokesman for the Alabama Department of Corrections.

Convicted in 2002 in the bombing of Birmingham's Sixteenth Street Baptist Church Cherry has a history of heart problems, and prison officials said he has been treated for diabetes at Holman

Wrongful-death lawsuit settled: The families of four student band members killed in a 2001 bus crash settled a wrongful-death lawsuit against two travel companies and their drivers for \$15 million.

The agreement came one day before a trial was to begin in Massachusetts against Boston companies Crystal Transport and Kristine Travel and Tour and drivers Hin C. Kan and Fred C. Pranger. Van Hool, the Belgian manufacturer of the bus, will also contribute to the settlement, lawyers said.

The tour bus was carrying 42 children from Oak Hill Middle School to a concert in Halifax, Nova Scotia, when the vehicle flipped on its side before dawn in April 2001 in Sussex, New Brunswick.

Tour bus crash: A tour bus that crashed along an Arkansas highway, killing 14, was in such poor condition that it would have been pulled out of service had it been inspected, investigators said Wednesday.

The National Transportation Safety Board said it found pre-existing cracks on frame rails that held up the motor in the rear of the bus

The agency did not link the cracks to Saturday's crash, saying the cause remained under investigation. Authorities were still looking at whether the driver, Herbert Walters, fell asleep at the wheel and planned to subpoena his medical records.

Crematory trial: A trial for a Georgia crematory operator accused of failing to burn hundreds of corpses has been postponed



Space station crew: American astronaut Leroy Chiao gives a thumbs-up during the ride from the suit-up facility at the Baikonur cosmodrome in Kazakhstan to the launch pad as he and his Soyuz TMA-5 spacecraft crewmates, Russian cosmonauts Salizhan Sharipov and Yuri Shargin, prepare for their liftoff Thursday to the international space station. The spaceship is due to dock with the station at 8:17 a.m. (0417 GMT) on Saturday.

while the state Supreme Court hears an appeal of scores of criminal charges.

Ray Brent Marsh had been scheduled to go on trial this month, but it was put on hold pending the appeal. Among other points, defense attorneys argue that dead bodies are not property subject to the state's theft laws The 787 criminal charges against Marsh include 439 counts of theft

Moussaoui rehearing denied: Terrorism suspect Zacarias Moussaoui lost a bid Wednesday to have the full Richmond, Va.-based 4th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals review two issues - witness access and the death penalty - that have delayed a trial.

The law would ensure that the country

has a leader capable of strengthening "our

drive and commitment in the fight against terrorism," said Tariq Azeem Khan, a

War on terrorism

spokesman for the ruling party.

Moussaoui's lawyers, Frank Dunham Jr. and Edward MacMahon Jr., said they have not decided whether to ask the Supreme Court to grant Moussaoui direct access to three al-Qaida prisoners and bar the government from seeking the death penalty.

Before the ruling, the lawyers notified the trial judge in the case that they would file such an appeal if a rehearing was denied.

A petition to the high court could cause additional delay in a case that has lasted for almost three years.

World

Pakistan president remains army chief: Lawmakers passed a bill Thursday allowing President Gen. Pervez Musharraf to remain as Pakistan's army chief, despite his earlier promise to step down from the post. The move was condemned by opponents, who said it gives the U.S.-backed leader too much power and underscores claims that Pakistan is ruled by a military dictatorship.

The government said the bill would ensure stability in a country with a long history of political turmoil. Its passage in the National Assembly came just days after the fifth anniversary of the bloodless coup in which Musharraf took power.

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Yokota flea market

The Yokota High School Parent-Teacher Organization Flea Market and Yard Sale is to be from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. Oct. 23, in the YHS cafeteria.

Setup begins at 7 a.m. Renting a table costs \$10; organizers said a few tables are left to rent.

E-mail Deborah Downing@ nac.odedodea.edu if you are interested in renting a table.

Rreast cancer walk

The Camp Zama Chapter of Federally Employed Women is sponsoring the Camp Zama 5K Breast Cancer Awareness Walk on Saturday. Starting times will be staggered, at 9 a.m., 9:30 a.m. and 10 a.m.; the walk is to begin and end at Dewey Park

Participants will receive a card that will be stamped at each of the information stations along the route. At the finish, participants will turn in the cards for a ticket for a free barbecue lunch and a chance at a door prize.

The organization also seeks to recognize any breast cancer survivors participating. Call Geralyn Noah at DNS 263-8881 for more

Halloween help

YOKOTA AIR BASE, Japan -The 374th Airlift Wing's public affairs office is seeking families willing to share their Halloween traditions with Jananese locals

Yokota volunteers will be paired with Japanese families for trick-or-treating Oct. 30 from 6

p.m. to 8 p.m., base officials said. Call DSN 225-7338 or e-mail 1st Lt. Warren Comer at warren. comer@vokota af mil to volunteer as an escort

Youth Essay Contest

YOKOTA AIR BASE, Japan -Children ages 9-12 may enter the Youth Essay Contest Nov. 12-24, base officials said.

The essay's subject is "I am thankful for ..." and must be limited to 400 words. The top three finishers are to receive prizes. Winners will be announced Nov. 26 during the monthly celebrations at the East and West youth centers

Call DSN 225-6397 for more information.

From staff reports



Chris Pfender, a maintenance supervisor, stacks snowboards Wednesday at the outdoor recreation office and business space in Hangar 973 at Misawa Air Base, Japan.

Misawa center setback

Opening of indoor recreation facility pushed back to January; outdoor activities to start next week

BY JENNIFER H. SVAN Stars and Strings

MISAWA AIR BASE, Japan -The Weasel's Den, Misawa's new indoor recreation center, will open this winter in Hangar 973 but not until late January, according to base officials.

Manufacturing and shipping of the Go-Karts and climbing wall from the United States probably won't happen until sometime in January, later than anticipated, said Bob Smith, 35th Services Squadron community support flight chief.

"Everything is on order." he

A portion of the center, however, opens Monday. Outdoor Recreation is moving to the hangar, located behind Misawa Naval Air Facility headquarters, and Monday will begin running its equipment and van rental counter there from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m., with a nine-hole miniature golf course and inflatable games, such as a bouncing castle and sumo wrestling

The \$1.7 million facility, geared

toward single airmen and youth, should be especially helpful during Misawa's long winters, Smith said. "Cabin fever," he said. "We need a place to play in the winter

The center, when completed, will be unique in the Air Force, Smith said, "because of the Go-Karts. There's no place in the Air Force where they have an indoor Go-Kart track

The base has ordered 14 electric Go. Karts including four with two seats, that can travel up to 30 miles per hour. Smith notes, however, that their speed can be controlled remotely if someone is driving unsafely

One of the biggest changes to the center's original design is a much larger climbing wall. Instead of a 10-foot bouldering wall. mostly for scrambling, base officials opted for an L-shaped climbing wall 18 feet high with an overhanging ledge, Smith said. Climbers will have to use ropes to ascend the face, though there's also

a bouldering area for kids on the wall's lower portion

Other attractions include video games, a "fun zone" for kids, an in-line skate park, an indoor r er hockey rink and a birthday party room. Admission fees will be charged only for miniature golf and Go-Karts. Cost and age limits for each activity have not

been set yet, Smith said. Also still undetermined is at what age a child can be left unsupervised at the den. Smith said officials likely will refer to the base's community standards for guidance, noting "this is not a drop zone

Funding to renovate the hangar and for equipment comes in large part from Pacific Air Forces, officials have said, with money acquired before the military began tightening its belt to pay for the war on terror.

Space in Building 1044 once occupied by Outdoor Recreation will be used by the base honor guard and the youth gymnastics program, Smith said, He also said there will be classrooms for the youth center to use.

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Freshmen parent night

Zama American High School will hold Freshman Parent Night at 5:30 p.m. Nov. 3. School officials urge all fresh-

men and their parents to attend the informative presentation, slat-ed for 5:30 p.m. in Zama's audito-

Elementary elections

YOKOTA AIR BASE, Japan -Yokota West Elementary School will conduct its School Advisory Committee elections in Novem her officials said Those interested in running for a seat can put in an application through Oct. 25. Call DSN 225-7611 or DSN 227-3307 for more information.

The heat is on

MISAWA AIR BASE, Japan Heat has been turned on in all mil-itary family housing units, base officials said Thursday, but day-time temperatures still aren't cool enough to meet the standard for turning on heat in office build

The average three-day daytime temperature must be below 55 degrees Fahrenheit before the heat is turned on in squadron and other office buildings on base, said Tech. Sgt. Mikal Canfield, a base spokesman.
"That has not happened vet."

he said Thursday.

The standard for base housing is a daytime, three-day average below 60 degrees. Heat was turned on in base housing last week. Canfield said.

Trespassing charges

Military police at Andersen Air Force Base, Guam, charged three men Thursday with trespassing on federal property, base officials said in a news release.

The men also are suspected of poaching. Base officials said that 36th Security Forces Squadron was alerted to a possible poach-ing situation on the north side of the base after shots were heard.

Police found the men on federal property near the intersection of routes 3 and 3A at 4:30 a.m.

Andersen security contacted Guam Police Department after responding to the scene and were instructed to detain the suspects officers could arrive, 36th Security Forces Squadron commander, Maj. Ray Tembreull.

The men were turned over to Guam police. The federal magistrate court on Guam has jurisdiction over the case, according to the release.



GREG TYLER/Stars and Stripes

Marine Corps Capt. Nicholas Marciano reviews notes from the day's training Thurs day in the ready room of Marine Electronic Warfare Squadron 1. VMAQ-1 has about two weeks remaining in a six-month stint at Iwakuni Marine Corps Air Station, Japan, as part of the Unit Deployment Program.

Banshees do it best 3 years in a row BY GREG TYLER

Stars and Stripes

IWAKUNI MARINE CORPS AIR STA-TION, Japan - For the third consecutive vear. Marine Electronic Warfare Squadron 1 was judged the best at its job

The Banshees of VMAQ-1 and their EA-6B Prowlers, two weeks from completing six months in Japan as part of the Marine Corps Unit Deployment Program tour, call Cherry Point Marine Corps Air Station, N.C., their home post.

The squadron recently learned that they once again won the Royal N. Moore Award.
"I can't be happier," stated Maj. Thomas

Bruno, executive officer, in a Marine report released Friday. "Being out here in Iwakuni we've stayed ready for deployments and continue to train. We have kept our focus

and have not rested on our laurels. That is a testament to the men of this unit.

Although he was not sure of the exact wording of the citation, winning the award "generally means we've been judged as the overall best of the four Marine Corps elec-tronic warfare squadrons," said Marine Capt. Nicholas Marciano, the squadron's ectronics countermeasures officer and EA-6B Prowler navigator.

The squadron's mission is to "take away the eyes of the enemy" to support strike air-craft after denying the enemy use of their radar spectrum.

"I believe all our pilots enjoy flying the tactical warfare aircraft, but they aren't the type of jets that you might imagine in an aerial dogfight. If things become dangerous, we have other assets that allow us to remove ourselves from such situations, said Marciano, whose call sign is "Rocky.

He added that the EA.6R Prowler is the fastest non-afterburner jet used by the U.S. Marine Corps.

Winning the award has been a source of pride, but not an overwhelming focus, Marciano said.

The level in day-to-day intensity is a lot higher than in other units I have been in, Capt. Chris Usrey, administrative officer and pilot, stated in the report, "The reason that I see us standing out is our attention to detail. The things that are not mission essential to us remain a high priority.'

The Prowler community is a tightly knit group, say Banshee personnel. "We all know that we have people who will take care of us," Marciano said. "As a result, we can focus on our jobs. That's how we end up as three-time winners.'

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Explosions rock Baghdad's Green Zone

Apparent suicide bombings kill 10, including 4 Americans; separate attacks claim 2 GIs

By NADIA ABOU EL-MAGD The Associated Press

BAGHDAD Insurgents nene trated Baghdad's heavily fortified Green Zone and detonated explosives at a market and a popular café Thursday, killing 10 people, including four American civil-ians, in the first bombings inside compound housing the U.S. and Iraqi government headquar-

A top Iraqi official said the attacks appeared to have been suicide bombings.

State Department spokesman Richard Boucher said in Washington that four American contractors and six Iragis were killed.

The attack raised fears over security in the compound and underscored militants' ability to strike in the capital even as U.S.-Iraqi forces step up military operations to suppress them in other parts of the country.

Earlier Thursday, a U.S. soldier was killed when his patrol in Baghdad came under small arms fire, the military said. In a separate attack, a second American soldier was killed when an improvised bomb exploded in eastern Baghdad, wounding two others. the U.S. command said. No further details were disclosed

Iraq's most feared terrorist group, Jordanian militant Abu Musab al-Zarqawi's Tawhid and Jihad, purportedly claimed responsibility for the Green Zone bombings according to a statement posted on a Web site known for its Islamic content.

A U.S. military statement said the two bombs appeared to have been "hand carried" into the zone. Five people were killed, in cluding three Americans, and 20 wounded, including one U.S. soldier, an American airman and two U.S. civilians, the statement said Officials did not release the

nationalities of the other dead

"This cowardly act will not go unpunished." Dawoud told news briefing at the Green Zone. 'We will strike them (insurgents) wherever they are.

The Green Zone - home to about 10,000 Iraqis, as wells as government officials, foreign diplomats and military personnel is a regular target of insurgents. Mortar rounds are frequently fired at the compound and there have also been a number of deadly car bombings at its gates

Last week, officials said an improvised bomb was found in front of the Green Zone Café - the same restaurant targeted Thursday — but was defused.

After Thursday's blasts, the U.S. Embassy "strongly encour-aged" Americans living or working in the Green Zone to limit their movements, travel in groups, carry several means of communication and avoid the bazaar and restaurants inside the compound.

A delegation from the insurent stronghold Fallujah suspended peace talks with the govern-ment Thursday because of Prime Minister Avad Allawi's "impossible" demand to hand over terror mastermind Abu Musab al-Zargawi, the city spokesman said.

Allawi warned Wednesday that Fallujah must surrender al-Zarqawi and other foreign fighters or face military attack.

Abu Asaad snokesman for the religious council of Falluiah, said that "handing over al-Zarqawi" was an "impossible condition" since even the Americans were unable to catch him.

Elsewhere, two bombs exploded Thursday in the northern city of Mosul, targeting an Iraqi National Guard patrol and an American military convoy, witnesses



An American helicopter passes over after two explosions in the heavily fortified Green Zone in Baghdad on Thursday. The Green Zone is home to the U.S. Embassy and Iraqi government offices.

and U.S. officials said. At least two people were killed and seven others wounded

Military spokesman Lt. Col. Paul Hastings confirmed that an Iraqi National Guard convoy was hit by a roadside bomb. Guards found another bomb at the same site and detonated it in a controlled explosion.

The second explosion happened as an American convoy was passing, but missed its target, Hastings said. Witnesses said it appeared to be a car bomb. A hospital worker, speaking on condition of anonymity, said one

Iraqi bystander was killed and another injured in the second explo-

U.S. and Iraqi forces have stepped up military operations in Sunni militant strongholds across a wide swathe of territory north and west of Baghdad on the eve of the Muslim holy month of Ramadan, which last year saw a surge in rebel attacks.

U.S. warplanes struck at least three sites in Falluiah on Thursday which the command said were being used by followers of al-Zarqawi. Intelligence sources indicated one building was being used to store weapons and two were safehouses used to plan attacks, the military said.

At least five people were killed and 16 wounded in all, according to Fallujah General Hospital. Late Thursday, Fallujah resi-

dents reported another intensive round of U.S. bombardment as the embattled city came under heavy air fire from U.S. forces.

In Ramadi, city hospital offi-

cials said Thursday eight people were killed and 17 wounded in 24 hours of fighting.

Saturday, October 16, 2004

U.S. troops swept into the city west of Baghdad early Wednesday, sealing off key streets, taking position on the rooftops and searching buildings, residents said. Warplanes and helicopters hovered overhead.

Rebels fought back with gunfire and mortar blasts. Three mortars, apparently aimed at city hall, slammed into a nearby house, killing two people and wounding four, including women and children, said Dr. Alaa al-Aani of Ramadi General Hosni-

The fighting subsided Thursday morning and U.S. forces withdrew from the city, resident said. The U.S. military had no immediate comment on the clashes.

Similar raids in Baqouba on Wednesday netted 10 suspects, including two people believed to be insurgent leaders in the area, said Capt. Marshall Jackson, spokesman for the 3rd Brigade, 1st Infantry Division

6:30 P.M.

U.S. deaths in Iraq

As of Wednesday, Oct. 13, 2004, 1,081 members of the U.S.

military have died since the beginning of the Iraq war in March 2003, according to the Defense Department. Of those, 825 died as a result of hos-tile action and 256 died of non-hostile causes. The figures include three military civilians

The British military has reported 67 deaths; Italy, 19; Poland, 13; Spain, 11; Bulgaria, six; Ukraine, eight; Slovakia, three; Thailand, two; the Netherlands, two; and Denmark, El Salvador, Esto nia, Hungary and Latvia have reported one death

Since May 1, 2003, when President Bush de clared that major combat operations in Iraq had ended, 943 U.S. military members have died — 716 as a result of hostile action and 227 of non-hostile causes, according to the military's numbers as of Wednesday.

Since the start of U.S. military operations in Iraq, 7,862 U.S. service members have been wounded in hostile

action, according to the Defense Department's weekly tally.

The latest deaths reported by the military ■ Two soldiers were killed Wednesday in a car bomb attack in Mosul.

One soldier was killed Wednesday when an explosive detonated in western Baghdad

■ Three soldiers were killed Tuesday when an explosive detonated near their convoy in eastern

The latest identification reported by the mili-

■ Army Staff Sgt. Michael L. Burbank, 34, Bremerton, Wash.; killed Monday when an explosive detonated near his vehicle in Mosul, Iraq; assigned to the 1st Squadron, 14th Cavalry Regiment, Fort Lewis, Wash

■ Army Sgt. Pamela G. Osbourne, 38, Hollyvood, Fla. and Army Pfc. Anthony W. Monroe, 2 Bismarck, N.D.; killed Monday when rockets hit their camp in Baghdad; assigned to the Division Ar-tillery, 1st Cavalry Division, Fort Hood, Texas.

Marine Pfc. Oscar A. Martinez. 19. North Lauderdale, Fla.; killed Tuesday in Anbar province; assigned to I Marine Expeditionary Force Headquarters Group, I Marine Expeditionary Force, Camp Pendleton, Calif.

■ Marine Cpl. Ian T. Zook, 24, Port St. Lucie, Fla.; killed Tuesday in Anbar province; assigned to 1st Battalion, 7th Marine Regiment, 1st Marine Division, I Marine Expeditionary Force, Marine Corps Air Ground Combat Center. Twentynine Palms, Calif.

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Surviving for a growing family Army: More GIs face prison

Marine injured in Iraq becomes father of quintuplets

The Associated Press

CHICAGO - As Marine Sgt. Joshua Horton lay in a hospital bed across the ocean recovering from wounds he suffered in Iraq, his wife was in a maternity ward in suburban Illinois making him a father five times over.

Horton knew his wife was expecting quintuplets, but decided it was his duty to go to Iraq last month with Marines he helped train - even if it meant leaving his wife and two children behind

"He was taking them into combat for the first time. He wanted to get them there safely and return," said Dean Fisher, the bishop of Horton's church in Oswego, a Chicago suburb.

On Tuesday, a day after his wife Taunacy gave birth to three girls and two boys. Horton was back in the United States, but not with his family. He was transported from a hospital in Germany to the National Naval Medical Center in Bethesda, Md.

A Marine spokesman said Horton, 28, is expected to recover but was so heavily sedated that he probably was not vet aware he is a father again

At Edward Hospital outside Chicago, meanwhile, the quintuplets - each weigh ing less than 2 pounds - were in critical but stable condition.

Friends and relatives said Horton chose to put his life and family on hold to serve his country.

"This guy is my hero," said Bill Powell, a lieutenant with the Aurora Police Department, where Horton is an officer.

Like many others, Horton felt he had to do something after terrorists struck the United States on Sept. 11, 2001. Horton had been in the Marines and his wife had been in the Navy, and they thought one of them should volunteer for duty.

"They just both felt very strongly that somebody needed to defend our country," said Taunacy Horton's stepmother,

Even though they had two children, the couple agreed Horton would enlist in the Marine Reserves. Then came the news that Taunacy Hor-

ton, who was taking fertility drugs in the hopes of having a third child, was pregnant with quintuplets. When Sgt. Horton's Chicago-based unit

was activated in June for training in preparation for deployment to Iraq, he had a decision to make "One of his greatest comments was

'There are other mothers waiting for their sons to get home and I need to give some other men relief," Fisher said. Taunacy, as a military mother, she understood that and actually encouraged province south of Baghdad when he was hit with either shrapnel or bullets in his torso and right leg. The military told his family someone tossed a grenade near him when he was on a house-to-house search with a handful of Marines, Watts

Initially, doctors were concerned they might have to amputate Horton's right foot, but Mai. Rick Coates, the unit's information officer, said they are now confident that will not be necessary.

Coates didn't know how long Horton would remain in the Naval hospital before he could be transferred to Illinois. Coates said that Horton's decision, as

strange as it might sound to someone who has not been in the military, makes sense to those who have served.

"He has, quite frankly, two families: his wife and kids, and the Marines," he said. "He felt he had two obligations: one to his family and one to the other family

When Taunacy Horton learned of her husband's injury last week, she was able to joke with Fisher about how her hushand just couldn't stick to their plans

When she went into labor a few days later, just 26 weeks into her pregnancy, she joked again with Fisher: "She said, 'Boy, no one is staying with the sched-

abuse charges

BY JOHN J. LUMPKIN The Associated Press

WASHINGTON - Up to 28 U.S. soldiers face possible criminal charges in connection with the deaths of two prisoners at an Ameri-can-run prison in Afghanistan two years ago, the Army announced Thursday. The most serious notential charges in-

clude involuntary manslaughter and maiming, the Army said in a statement.

Its announcement marked completion of a 2-year-old investigation into the deaths. The Army's Criminal Investigation Division recommends various charges against the 28, with some facing more serious charges than others.

So far, only one person, a military police reservist, has actually been charged in con nection the deaths. Sgt. James P. Boland of the Army Reserve's 377th Military Policy Company was charged Aug. 23 with assault and dereliction of duty.

For the other 27, their commanding offic-

ers will make the final call on whether they face a court-martial, administrative disci pline or no disciplinary action.

The deaths, in early December 2002, were ruled homicides by U.S. military medical ex-

Others who are expected to face charges are from the 519th Military Intelligence Batare from the 35th Miniary Intelligence Bar-talion. Some members of the 519th went from Afghanistan to Iraq in 2003 and are among those accused by Army investigators of abusing Iraqi detainees in the fall of 2003.

The Boland charge sheet lists one count of dereliction of duty in connection with the death of Mullah Habibullah, who was in detention at Bagram, Afghanistan.

Troops take gamble to invest in future of Iraqi currency

BY JULIANA GITTLER Stars and Stripes

BAGHDAD - In drawers and footlockers, servicemembers in Iraq are hoarding millions of dinars, banking on the resurgence of the nation's year-old curren-

Many suspect the dinar's precipitous drop in the past decade could mean a huge rebound Each dinar worth a few dollars; they're now worth a fraction of a penny

If nost-war Kuwait is any evample, they might be right: a Kuwaiti dinar was valued at a about a dime after the war. Each now brings in \$3.40.

Still, that's a big gamble, financial experts say. And Iraq is no Kuwait — a small, politically stable country with massive oil re-

Insurgents, a nascent government and extreme poverty still plague Iraq.

"If only the country turns

around," said one investor. Staff Sgt. Matthew Gadbois, a Vermont National Guardsman with the 1st Battalion, 86th Field Artillery at Camp Victory, Baghdad.

"That's the gamble," adds an-other, Sgt. Richard Couture, from the same unit.

The two, and most soldiers they know, have picked up a few hundred thousand dinars equivalent to a couple hundred dollars. They know others who have bought considerably more.

If the value jumps just a bit from 1/16th of a penny to 1/8th of a penny for example, investors double their money. If it jumps to a few cents, they can start paying off mortgages, the goal for Gadbois.

He learned of the scheme from a fellow soldier who, he adds, likes to gamble. "I was skeptical at first," Gad-

bois says. "But it's like playing the stock market. If it takes off great." Iraq has a few attributes that make it attractive. The most ob-

vious is oil, and the fact that it could blossom into a functional country. Still the government could

overspend and weaken the economy despite its oil. And there's always inflation to dampen the already low value.

"While that is a nice idea, soldiers probably shouldn't be currency speculators," said Michael A. Goldstein, associate professor of finance at Babson College in Massachusetts in an e-mailed statement "All sorts of things could happen, especially inflation in dinars. This is likely a sucker bet - if the major investment banks aren't speculating, neither should your average

He points to the example in Eastern Europe after the Cold War. Gains in currency value were eroded by inflation as the country developed. "One of the easiest ways to fi-

nance government expenditures is just to print more money and spend it. When the government prints more money, it causes inflation," he says

It might also be difficult or expensive to off-load the dinars down the road. The few banks that buy foreign currency in the States charge fees for doing so, he says.

Many soldiers recognize the gamble and are prepared to wait years to see what happens "It's not really a big invest-

ment," says Capt. Scott Moreland, currently serving with the 1st Battalion, 185th Armor Regiment of the Cali-National Guard in Camp Scania, Iraq. "Most of us have thrown a few hundred bucks at it to see what happens. Your odds are better than they are in Vegas.

He adds that Department of Defense savings programs are probably a better bet. Military investors should

note that U.S. customs laws

require them to declare if they bring home more than the equivalent of \$10,000 in any currency.

And post offices in theater mailing currency home. But there is no Department of Defense regulation to stop them, according to military officials.

The get-rich-quick idea isn't limited to those serving in Iraq.

On the auction Web site eBay, dinars sell for marginally more than the going rate, A recent sale collected \$75 for 100,000 dinars. Under the current exchange rate, that amount should cost about Scores of vendors online

have been set up just to sell dinars. In one case, a million dinars, worth about \$685, was on sale for \$895 One of these sites sums un the efforts in its name: Be-

tOnIraq.com. Its Web site adds a caveat:

We sell genuine currency that, in our opinion, stands a good chance of appreciating in value. We can offer no guarantees of a return on invest-

Goldstein adds that as a gamble the idea isn't crazy, but it's certainly not a wise investment. 'Short answer — don't do

this with more money than you usually bet in evening's poker game." one

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Health care, economy hot debate topics

BY DAN BALZ AND JIM VANDEHEI The Washington Post

TEMPE, Ariz. — President Bush and John Kerry battled sharply over domestic issues Wednesday night in the final debate of the 2004 campaign. The Democratic nominee charged that the president has compiled a and health care, and Bush actued the country of a Senate record that is both out of the mainstream and lacking in accomplishment.

Kerry repeatedly sought to put Bush on the defensive, charging that he has allowed the economy to go backward, has turned budget surpluses into deficits and has stood by as millions of Americans have lost their health insurance.

The president tried to parry those attacks by challenging Ker-With the debates behind ry's record during his 20 years in them, the the Senate, accusing him of repeatcandidates edly voting to raise taxes, of failwill begin a ing to do anything significant to re-form health care three-week run and of favoring that will take health care changthem through es that would greatly enhance the federal govfewer than a ernment's power. dozen truly "He's ... the only president in competitive

battleground

states.

"He's ... the only president in 72 years to lose jobs — 1.6 million jobs lost," Kerry said. "He's the only president to have incomes of

families go down for the last three years, the only president to see exports go down, the only president to see the lowest level of business investment in our country as it is today. Now, I'm going to reverse that. I'm going to change that. We're going to restore the fiscal discipline we had in the 1990s. Bush scoffed at Kerry's state-

ments, saying, "His hetoric doesn't match in room of Hot doesn't match in

Wednesday's 90-minute debate came as the presidential race has tightneed significantly, with Kerry using the first two debates to eliminate what had been a Bush lead of about five percentage points in national polls. The latest Washington Post-ABC News tracking poll, completed before the debate, showed Kerry at 49 percent and Bush at 48 percent among likely voters — the first time Kerry has been ahead in that poll since early August.

With the debates behind them, the candidates will begin a three-week run that will take them through fewer than a dozen truly competitive battleground states as they attempt to appeal to

the relatively small pool of undecided voters and mobilize their strongest supporters for a widespread get-out-the-vote operation.

The debate, held at Arizona State University and moderate by Bob Schieffer of CBS News, covered broad terrain, with the candidates discussing Social Security, education, gun control, affirmative action, same-sex marriage, immigration, abortion and the lack of flu vaccine.

The heart of the debate was bread-and-butter issues, with Kerry arguing that Bush has favored the wealthy over the middle class with tax cuts and the president warning middle-class woters that a Kerry administration would mean higher taxes not only on the wealthy but on average Americans as well, describing Kerry's

talk as "bait and switch" politics.

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"You know, there's a mainstream in American politics and
you sit right on the
far left bank?
Bush said."As a
matter of fact,
your record is
such that Ted
Kennedy, your colleague, is the conservative senator
from Massachusetts."

Kerry was equally dismissive of Bush's criticisms, saying the president "walks on by" the nation's economic problems. "Being lectured by

the president on fiscal responsibility is a little bit like Tony Soprano talking to me about law and order in this country "he said

try," he said.

In one of the sharpest exchanges, Kerry warned that Bush's plan to allow workers to put a small percentage of their Social Security taxes into private investment accounts is "an invitation to disaster" that would cost too much and be too risky. Bush has not detailed a plan, but experts say any plan to partly privatize the system would still the properties of the propertie

Bush said Kerry's plan to do nothing would be far more danger-

"I want to warn my fellow citizens: The cost of doing nothing, the cost of saying the current system is OK, far exceeds the costs of trying to make sure we save the system for our children," Bush

Kerry said he would rely on robust fiscal growth to increase government revenue and extend the life of the program.

On health care, Bush said an independent study showed that Kerry's plan would cost more than St trillion, add 20 million Americans to government health care rolls and lead to lower-quality care. "We have a fundamental difference of opinion," he said. "I think government-run health will lead to poor-quality health, will lead to to poor-quality health, will lead to trationing, will lead to less choice." Kerry called Bush's claims inaccurate and said the president's campaign has consistently distorted what his plan would do. "The fact is that my health-care plan, America, is very simple," he said. "It gives you the choice. I don't force you to do anything. It's not a government plan. The government doesn't require you to do

"It gives you the choice. I don't force you to do anything. It's not a government plan. The government doesn't require you to do anything. You choose your doctor. You choose your plan. If you don't want to take the offer of the plan that I want to put forward, you don't have to."

The candidates greatly disagree on cultural issues, including same-sex marriage, abortion
and, to a lesser extent, gun control. In the clearest terms to date,
mus test on judicial selections to
protect abortion rights. "I'm not
going to appoint a judge to the
court who's going to undo a constitutional right, whether it's the
First Amendment, or some other right
Amendment, or some other right
today — under the Constitution,
be said." And I believe that the

right of choice is a constitutional

Bush said he would not impose any litmus test on judges, but was less clear about whether he would push to overturn Roe vs. Wade. Kerry said, "I will not allow somebody to come in and change Roe v. Wade."

Bush criticized Kerry for refusing to support efforts such as the ban on what opponents call "partal birthi" abortion to reduce the number of legal abortions each year. "I understand there's great differences on this issue of abortion, but I believe reasonable people can come together and put of the properties of the contraction of the properties of the such that in place that will help resolution in place that will help resolution in place that will help resolution of the properties of the Bush said. On the politically charged issue

of same-sex marriage, Bush defended his support for a constitutional amendment banning the practice and warmed that judges were trying to redefine marriage. "I proposed a constitutional amendment. The reason I did so was because I was worried that activist judges are actually defining

the definition of marriage, and the surest way to protect marriage between a man and woman is to amend the Constitution," he said.

Kerry said he thinks they are. "I think if you were to talk to Dick Cheney's daughter, who is a lesbian, she would tell you that she's being who she was, she's being who she was born as," he said.

The Democratic nominee said he believes marriage is between a man and woman, too, but reiterated his opposition to amending the constitution. "I also believe that because we are the United State because we are the United State of America, we're a country with a great, unbelievable Constitution, with rights that we afford people, that you can't discriminate in the workplace."

The Democratic Party was

The Democratic Party was quick to publicize what it called a debate "threepeat" for Kerry.

A top official in President Bush's campaign conceded Thursday, but insisted that any advantage would prove fleeting.

Bush and his Democratic rival set out on a 19-day campaign sprint to Election Day.



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Some statements far from accurate

Candidates find ways to stretch truth

By CALVIN WOODWARD The Associated Press

WASHINGTON - The last presidential debate highlighted words President Bush forgot he had spoa meeting John Kerry thought never happened, but did, and a refusal on both sides to back off questionable statements that have practically become classics through renetition

Kerry claimed once more that Bush has lost 1.6 million jobs. about twice as many as have actually disappeared. The persistent discrepancy comes from his not saving that the losses he speaks of are in the private sector, and are mitigated by job gains in public service. He let go of another regular misstatement, however, this time using an accurate figure on the cost of the Iraq war.

Bush again declared of his opponent, "He voted to increase taxes 98 times," which should not he taken at all to mean Kerry has voted for that many tax increases. Independent analysis has found the list of 98 includes multiple votes for single measures and votes that set targets without having any effect on the tax code.

Beyond those familiar features of the debates, ads and more, the candidates slipped or stretched in fresh ways in their final encounter before the Nov. 2 election.

Kerry accurately quoted Bush as saying he does not think much about Osama bin Laden and is not all that concerned about him. The president protested: "I just don't think I ever said I'm not worried about Osama bin Laden. It's kind of one of those exaggerations.

But in March 2002, Bush indeed said, "I truly am not that concerned about him. I know he is on the run." He described the terrorist leader as "marginalized," and said, "I just don't spend that much time on him."

Kerry, trying to show Bush has paid too little heed to civil rights, stated flatly, "This is a president who hasn't met with the black con-Actually. gressional caucus." Bush met the Congressional Black Caucus at the White House within two weeks of taking office. and called his opponent on it. Also in the debate:

■ Kerry declared, "I have a plan to cover all Americans" with health insurance, but even his campaign does not contend his blueprint would eliminate the ranks of the uninsured. Independent analysts say full implementa-

tion of Kerry's plan would extend

coverage to about 25 million of the nearly 45 million uninsured. He also said Bush has cut Pell grants, but later altered the accusation when the president pointed out accurately that about 1 million more students are getting the aid than when he took office.

■ Bush talked about how he signed the bill creating the Homeland Security Department, putting that on his list of actions that have made the country safer. But he was a convert to that cause, at first opposing the massive government reorganization.

■ Kerry reverted to what is believed to be the accurate figure for the cost of the Iraq war so far, after he and his running mate John Edwards had been suggesting \$200 billion had already been

■ Bush acknowledged his current support for a constitutional amendment mandating marriage as a union between a man and a woman without acknowledging that back in the 2000 Republican primary, he said the issue of banning gay marriage belonged to the states It's a nosition Vice President Dick Cheney still holds today.

Associated Press writer Sjobhan McDon-

Democratic candidate Sen. John Kerry, left, and President Bush face off Wednesday in Tempe, Ariz., for the third and final presidential debate.

Lovers vs. haters

Voters' affection or dislike for Bush will decide election

By MICHAEL TACKETT Chicago Tribune

WASHINGTON - After the third and final debate of this presidential campaign, the race in many ways can be reduced to this: a contest between the lovers and the haters

The lovers are those who hold great affection for George W. Bush, his philosophy of government, his socially conservative beiefs and his resolve on issues like Iraq and the war on terror. The haters are those who can't stand the president for precisely the e reasons

There hasn't been a grand embrace of challenger John Kerry, and even in the waning days before the election, a Kerry agenda is still not easy to define

But if the country were electing a debater-in-chief, after three rounds, most would give the title to the Democrat.

His performances were more even and consistent, his presentation of facts and command of issues more clear. On this night, his burden was obvious: to persuade people to deny the president a second term, to point out with precision what the haters hate most

The motivation to vote against

someone is often more powerful than the desire to vote for someone, and in that sense, the presi dent faces a perilous finish to the campaign. He will be relying on his legion of lovers and hone that the haters have hit the wall. He is still stoking the energy of Republican partisans, painting Kerry with the familiar out of the mainstream" brush, while Kerry seems to believe there are still people to be won over in the increasingly small lane in the middle of the road, especially undecided women voters.

The 90-minute session focused almost entirely on the issues that form the fault lines of American politics - abortion, affirmative

action, gay marriage, faith, taxes and the role of government in health care and education. On each of those issues, the debate served to outline distinct differences between the two men.

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Of all the things that voters might say they lack when they cast bal-

Analysis

clear choice should not be one of them. The incumbent president in a time of war and a troubled economy faced the greater challenge to defend his record. There were simply more targets for Kerry to attack. But the president also played on the dangers the nation faces as part of his contention

that a chance for Kerry is not a

chance worth taking.

Yet the president was put on the defensive several times, espe-cially about the economy. Asked what he might say to a worker who had lost a job to outsourcing to a foreign country with lower wages, the president responded that education was the best kind of government jobs program in the long run. How that will play in like Ohio, Pennsylvania and Missouri, which have lost tens of thousands of manufacturing jobs, is unclear

On social issues, the president was far clearer in ways that will no doubt help him energize Re-publican partisans, but might be unlikely to win over many shrinking pool of undecided voters. He said he didn't know if homosexuality were a opposed to a birthright, but he reiterated his call for a constitution. al amendment to ban gay marriage. In addition, he refused the chance to say that a woman had a constitutional right to choice on

That provided a clear opening to Kerry to appeal to women voters, whom polls suggest have been gravitating toward the Democrat since the first debate in Coral Gables, Fla., last month. Kerry said he would only support a justice to the Supreme Court who believed in the constitutional right to an abortion

Each candidate clearly entered the debate with a couple of loaded lines that they were ready to fire off at an appropriate moment.

Neither man's effort was partic ularly successful, but the president's almost-forced efforts to caricature Kerry as a Massachusetts liberal to the left of Sen. Ted Kennedy appeared to fall decidedflat, except to the hard-core partisans who can never hear enough of that kind of talk.

They no doubt also enjoyed Bush's dig at the integrity of the major broadcast network news operations. For his part, Kerry's analogy to Tony Soprano is unlikely to be part of any permanent debate highlight reel either.

Wednesday's debate in Tempe likely signaled the last big national moment of the campaign, the final time when millions of Americans paid intense attention to the race. The candidates are likely to revert to rote of their stump speeches and the grind of travel from tarmac to tarmac, narrowcast to hit as many select television markets as possible Good morning, Dayton. Good morning, Des Moi

Incumbents who don't win debates — Gerald Ford in 1976. Carter in 1980 Jimmy and George H.W. Bush in 1992 haven't fared well on Election Day. There is a presumption in the electorate that presidents are supposed to be able to perform on television under pressure They are supposed to be able

not only to defend their term in office but also to persuade that they deserve another. The president has three more weeks to make

Justice Department asks for extension of deadline for overseas voters from Penn.

The Associated Press

HARRISBURG, Pa. - A federal judge will hear arguments next week on a request by the Justice Department to give military families and overseas voters in Pennsylvania until after the Nov. 2 election to submit absentee ballots for president.

U.S. District Judge Yvette Kane set the hearing for Tuesday after a state court knocked Ralph Nader off Pennsylvania's presidential hallot

The judge had initially declined to rule on the request until state courts resolved whether Nader could be listed on the ballot as an independent presidential candi-

On Wednesday, a state court re-

moved Nader from the ballot, citing thousands of fraudulent signatures including "Mickey Mouse" and "Fred Flintstone.

The federal government had asked that voters be given extra time to cast ballots because of confusion over Nader's candidacy.

The Justice Department contended that Nader's on-again-off-again status caused some counties last month to mail ballots that listed him as a candidate while others sent hallots that omitted his name

An extension of the deadline for overseas ballots could delay the tabulation of the presidential vote if the contest for Pennsylvania's 21 electoral votes - the nation's fifth-largest prize - is as close as some polls suggest.

U.S. trade deficit second-highest in history

BY MARTIN CRUTSINGER The Associated Press

WASHINGTON - The U.S. trade deficit, propelled by a record foreign oil bill, surged to \$54 billion in August, the sec-ond-highest level in history. The politically sensitive deficit with China hit a new high as American retailers upped their orders for

cell phones, toys and televisions. The Commerce Department said the August trade deficit in goods and services was 6.9 percent higher than a \$50.5 billion imbalance in July. A small 0.1 percent rise in exports was dwarfed by a 2.5 percent jump in imports.

For the year, America's trade deficit is running at a record annual rate of \$590 billion, 19 percent higher than the previous record, last year's \$496.5 billion imbal-

Imports climbed 2.5 percent to a record \$150.1 billion in August. reflecting a 12.2 percent jump in petroleum shipments, which rose to a record \$15.6 billion last

U.S. exports edged up 0.1 percent to \$96 billion in August following an even larger 3 percent gain in July. Economists are hoping that an improving global economy will lift sales of American goods overseas. Sales of American cars and auto parts did hit a record, rising to \$7.8 billion in Au-

The U.S. trade performance has become an issue in the presidential race with Democratic challenger John Kerry charging that President Bush has not done enough to protect American workers from unfair trade practices from low wage countries such as

In Wednesday night's final debate, Kerry criticized Bush for failing to pursue an unfair trade practice complaint against China on the grounds that it has rigged its currency system to keep the yuan undervalued by as much as 40 percent against the U.S. dollar. giving Chinese products a huge competitive advantage against American goods.

In a second economic report, the Labor Department said the number of Americans filing new claims for unemployment benefits rose by 15,000 last week to a seasonally adjusted level of 352 000

The four-week moving average of claims, which smooths out weekly changes, rose by 4,000 to a seven-month high of 352,000.

The report on jobless claims reflects a labor market that is continuing to confound economists expectations. The country added a lower-than-expected 96,000 jobs in September as the unem-ployment rate held steady at 5.4

percent. In August, the trade deficit with China climbed to a record \$18.1 billion, pushed higher by a surge in demand for cell phones toys and games, televisions and VCRs, reflecting efforts by U.S. retailers to stock their shelves in advance of the holiday shopping

Elderly get priority for scarce flu shots

Drug store diverts supply to nursing home

BY MICHELLE SPITZER

The Associated Press

JOHNSTON Jowa - Health officials are scurrying to secure flu vaccines so the elderly, who are most vulnerable to influenza, have first access to shots after the nation's supply was cut in half.

"We're begging, borrowing and stealing from every source we can come up with." said Paula Frank, a clinical consulting nurse for the Bishop Drumm Retirement Center.

The 150 nursing home residents at the continuing care complex owned by Mercy Medical Center are getting flu shots this week after the Walgreens drug store chain diverted a batch of vaccine bound for its stores

Walgreens decided to divert its supply in response to a request from the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, which asked healthy adults to forgo flu shots this year to ensure that those most at risk would get

"We've tried to follow the CDC guidelines and at the top of their list is neonle over the age of 65 said Michael Polzon, spokesman for Walgreens. "These retirement homes were also a good match for the amount we had

The elderly are among those most at risk, said Dr. Patricia Quinlisk, state epidemiologist.

"As you get older, your immune system gets older, too, and you are not able to withstand any

wind of disease as you are when you are younger," she said.

Over a five-year period ended in 2003, Iowa tallied 4,526 deaths from flu and pneumonia; of those, 4.235 were 65 and older

It's a critical concern in a state that ranks fourth in the nation in the percentage of its population 65 and older. According to the 2000 Census, 14.9 percent of Io-

wans are in that age group.

Anne Langill, 88, a nursing home resident at Bishop Drumm, said she was never concerned she wouldn't get a flu shot.

"I thought that the people who really needed it would get it first." Langill said. "If anyone here got it, then there would have to be special efforts to get it (the vaccine) to us



ne Langill, 88, one of 150 residents in the Bishop Drur Retirement Center in Johnston, Iowa, are getting flu shots this week after the Walgreens drug store chain diverted a batch of vaccine.

Implantable chip raises concerns

The Associated Press

WASHINGTON - Privacy advocates are concerned that an implantable microchip designed to help doctors tap into a patient's medical records could undermine confidentiality or could even be used to track the patient's movements

"If privacy protections aren't built in at the outset, there could be harmful consequences for patients" said Emily Stewart an analyst at the Health Privacy Project.

The Food and Drug Administra-tion said Wednesday that Applied Digital Solutions of Delray Beach, Fla., could market the VeriChip, an implantable computer chip about the size of a grain of rice, for storing medical information.

The microchip is inserted under the skin in a procedure that takes less than 20 minutes. The dormant chip stores a code that releases patient-specific information when a scanner passes over it.

The VeriChip itself contains no medical records, just codes that can be scanned and revealed in a doctor's office. Stewart said that to protect patient privacy, the devices should reveal only vital medical information, like blood type and allergic reactions, needed for health care workers to do their jobs.

Producer accuses O'Reilly of sexual harassment

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NEW YORK - Bill O'Reilly, whose Fox News Channel show is the highest-rated cable news program, has been accused of sexual harassment by one of his producers. O'Reilly says the complaint is a politically motivated extortion sides filed lawsuits

Wednesday, with the woman, Andrea Mackris, saying the commentator had phone sex with her against her wishes three times.

In his claim against Mackris and her attorney, Benedict Morel-li, O'Reilly said Morelli demanded \$60 million in "hush money" to not file the lawsuit.

"As a public figure, I have re-ceived many threats," he said. "But enough is enough ... The



stint at CNN. During a phone conversation this August, Mackris, 33, said O'Reilly suggested she buy a vibrator and was clearly excited.

Before hanging up, she said, O'Reilly told her: "I appreciate the fun phone call."

She contended he made a simi-

lar call Sept. 21, ending that one by saying: "Next time you'll come up to my hotel room and we'll make this happen."

O'Reilly's lawyer, Ronald Green, said he believes there are tapes of conversations between the two and asked a court to compel Mackris to produce them so they could be played publicly.

Morelli would not comment on whether any taped phone conversations exist

Besides the attempt for money, O'Reilly charged that his accuser and her lawyer were trying to embarrass him and Fox News Channel three weeks before the election. Morelli, he said, is a contributor to the Democratic Party; "The O'Reilly Factor" is a particular favorite among Republican viewers.

'Three-strikes' revisited

LOS ANGELES - California voters are taking a second whack at "three-strikes" guidelines a decade after they first passed the nation's toughest sentencing law.

In essence Proposition 66 turns on the question of how justice should be administered: Is the goal retribution, or another chance? "If this thing passes, you're looking at a wholesale bloodbath," said Mike Reynolds, who galvanized California's three-strikes movement following his daughter's 1992 murder

The ballot measure is among the most hard-fought of the 16 propositions that Californians will decide this year. The emotionally charged campaign has included opponents sending out mug shots of the most egregious criminals they say would be immediately back on the streets. Polling suggests voters may

opt to change current law. A poll released Wednesday shows nearly two-thirds of likely voters support the proposition

Suspect used visa

TRENTON, N.J. - A senior al-Qaida operative accused of conducting surveillance on U.S. financial buildings as possible terror targets had entered the United States on a student visa, according to a newspaper report. FBI agent Joseph Billy Jr.

told The Record of Bergen County for a story in Thursday editions that the operative lived in New Jersey and attended several schools there while carrying out the reconnaissance operation.

IN THE WORLD

1 Chinese hostage freed in Pakistani raid; 1 dies

The Associated Press

CHAGMALAI, Pakistan - Pakistani special forces attacked kidnappers holding two Chinese engineers near the Afghan border on Thursday, killing all five of the al-Oaida-linked militants, who were followers of a former Guantanamo Bay prisoner. One of the hostages was killed in the raid, while the other survived.

Security forces later launched a manhunt for the militants' leader Abdullah Mehsud who was believed hiding in mountains while his men held the hostages for six days in the nearby village of Chagmalai, officials said.

"The masterminds behind this terrorist action will be pursued relentlessly and meted out the most severe punishment," President

Gen. Pervez Musharraf said. Commandos raided a house

EU backs U.S. tax bill

BRUSSELS. Belgium - The European Union welcomed final passage in the U.S. Congress of a bill repealing corporate subsidies ruled illegal by the World Trade Organization, but said Thursday it was too soon to lift punitive tariffs on U.S. goods.

EU trade spokeswoman Arancha Gonzalez also said the EU was concerned about the bill's transition period, until 2007, for ending the subsidies as well as "grandfathering clauses" allowing some beneficiaries of the breaks to continue receiving

Albanian crash kills 14

TIRANA, Albania - A bus carrying high school students from Kosovo back from an excursion crashed into another vehicle and tumbled off a cliff in northern Albania on Thursday, killing at least 14 passengers and injuring up to three dozen others, police and health officials said.

The bus was bringing about 50 teenagers back to neighboring Kosovo after a field trip in Albania when it went over the cliff in Fushe Arrez 105 miles north of the capital. Tirana, a police spokes-

Raid uncovers Ecstasy

TALLINN, Estonia - Estonian police discovered more than 300,000 tablets of Ecstasy in a raid on a suspected drug laborato rv. officials said Thursday.

The drug lab raided Wednesday in southwestern Estonia had been under surveillance for months. Eight people were arrest-

Terror assets frozen

LONDON - The Bank of England is ordering a freeze on any assets belonging to a terrorist group that claimed responsibility for kidnapping and beheading two Americans and a Briton in Iraq. Treasury chief Gordon Brown said Thursday.

From The Associated Press

the hostages after shots were heard coming from inside, Information Minister Sheikh Rashid Ahmed said

"This raised fears that the kidnappers had started violence against the Chinese," he said. "The security forces then "The security forces then stormed and killed all five kidnappers and freed the Chinese.

However, resident Abid Mehsud told The Associated Press that dozens of special forces soldiers, disguised as local tribesmen, surrounded the mud-brick house and opened fire when three of the kidnappers came outside to talk on a two-way radio.

The troops then lobbed a tear gas grenade into the house and one of the Chinese hostages ran out and made it to safety. The two surviving militants emerged, holding the other Chinese man in front of them.

they all fell to the ground," Meh-sud said, though he added it was not clear whether the soldiers' fire had killed the hostage, or whether the militants had shot him.

Ahmed said the kidnappers had shot the Chinese man, Wang

China's state-run Xinhua news agency said the survivor, Wang Ende, had been taken to the Chi nese Embassy in Islamabad.

Abdullah Mehsud, 28, returned

to Pakistan in March after two years' detention at the U.S. military base at Guantanamo Bay, Cuba. Pakistan officials say he has forged ties with al-Qaida

It was unclear why U.S. authorities released Mehsud, who has used an artificial leg since losing one to a land mine while fighting for the Taliban. He became a rebel leader when he returned to South Waziristan



Pakistani tribal leader and militant Abdullah Mehsud is reportedly hiding in South Waziristan region of Pakistan's tribal belt along Afghanistan. Mehsud allegedly masterminded the kidnapping of two Chinese engineers.

Taiwan denies experimenting with nukes

BY STEPHAN GRAUWELS The Associated Press

TAIPEI, Taiwan - Taiwan on Thursday denied that the island's nuclear weapons program -abandoned in the 1980s - involved experimenting with sepa-

rating plutonium. Diplomats in Vienna, Austria,

said on Wednesday that inspectors with the International Atomic Energy Agency have found samples indicating that plutonium experiments were done about 20 years ago in Taiwan. But Yang Chao-yie, deputy

chairman of the Taiwanese Cabinet's Atomic Energy Council. said the experiments didn't happen. Scientists only researched the possibility of making nuclear arms, Yang said.

We never made any plutonium separation experiments, not in the 1980s, and not earlier," Yang said. "The program was just research." he said. without elaborating. The plutonium produced inside a nuclear reactor needs to be separated and purified before it can be used in a nu-

clear weapon Officials at the Vienna-based IAEA said they would not comment on the remarks by the diplomats, who spoke on condition of

The nuclear project - which started in the 1960s, stopped in the 1970s and was briefly revived in the 1980s — has long been com-

mon knowledge on the island. Andrew Yang, a defense ana lyst at the Chinese Council of Advanced Policy Studies, a Tainei think tank, said the Taiwanese scientists were trying to process plutonium before the project was shut down under U.S. pressure. It

was closed shortly after a Taiwan-

ese military officer, Chang Hsien-yi, defected to America in 1988 with information about the program, the analyst said.

Atomic Energy Council Deputy Chairman Yang said the govern ment now has a policy of com-plete openness with the IAEA inspectors. "We completely agree to all the requests the inspectors make, wherever they want to go, whenever they want to go. We agree to anything," he said. The agency's inspections and testing were being conducted as part of voluntary extra controls on Taiwan's peaceful nuclear program agreed to by the government.

Afghan officials begin counting the vote

BY STEPHEN GRAHAM

The Associated Press

KARIII. Afghanistan - Vote counting in Afghanistan's presidential election got under way Thursday, five days after a landmark vote meant to cement a new era of stability after more than two decades of strife.

A ton election official said about three-quarters of the 10.5 million Afghans who registered for the election turned out to vote threats of violence.

Ballot boxes have flooded in to the counting centers by road, air and even donkey from across the rugged improverished country

The head of the Afghan-U.N. electoral com-

mission cut the seal on the first box opened in

the capital. Kabul, to begin the tallying process to determine the country's first popularly elected head of state

Counting also started in four regional centers: the northern cities of Kunduz and Mazar-e-Sharif, eastern Gardez and the main southern city of Kandahar.

The remaining three counting centers were expected to begin work by Saturday. U.N. spokesman Manoel de Almeida e Silva said 95 percent of the ballot boxes have reached the counting centers.

Reginald Austin, the top adviser to the joint election commission, said the first "substantial" results could emerge in about a week. Austin said initial information from polling stations

indicated that "nearly 8 million" people cast ballots, a turnout of between 75 and 80 percent.

Karzai, who enjoys strong international backing and is seeking to bridge the war-ravaged nation's deep ethnic divides, is widely believed to have won, possibly with the absolute majority needed to avoid a run-off. Officials had stalled the start of vote counting

while a panel of foreign experts sifted through several dozen complaints of alleged irregularities from the 16 candidates, including front-run-ning, U.S.-backed incumbent Hamid Karzai.

None of their complaints appear serious nough to invalidate final results expected by

Some ballot boxes have not been retrieved

vet from far-flung regions, and the count may take time even after they do.

N.: Africa should brace for AIDS time bomb

By Anthony Mitchell The Associated Press

ADDIS ABABA, Ethiopia - Africa must brace itself for an AIDS time bomb as 8,000 people are infected with HIV a day in the region worst hit by the pandemic, the United Nations warned Thurs

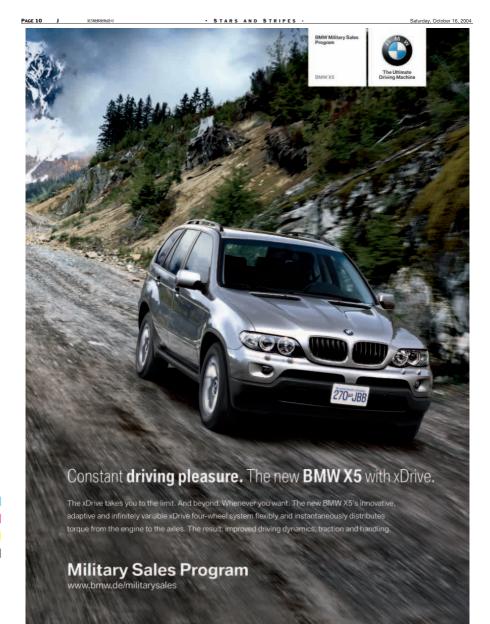
Seventy percent of the 45 million people worldwide infected with HIV live in sub-Saharan Africa - even though the region is home to only 11 percent of the world's population, said a fund set up to combat three of the world's most devastating diseas-

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AIDS Tuberculosis and Malaria said that per capita growth in half of the countries in sub-Saharan Africa is falling by 0.5 to 1.2 percent each year as a direct result

of AIDS. By 2010, per capita GDP in some of the hardest-hit countries may drop by 8 percent and per capita consumption may fall even farther, the Geneva-based

"If we think we are seeing an impact today, we have to brace ourselves because it is set to get very much worse in the future," warned Alan Whiteside, member of a commission set up by U.N. Secretary-General Kofi Annan to deal with HIV/AIDS and governance in Africa.





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Is he for real?

'Sky Captain and the World of Tomorrow' the septement of the septement of the future of filmmaking the chances and studios can be septement.

BY WILLIAM BOOTH The Washington Post

LOS ANGELES - He is like that guy who worked in your office once, the shy tech-geek, the temp down in IT. Until very recently, that guy was Kerry Conran.

For more than a decade, Conran was the computer nerd at a series of temporary jobs at newspapers and magazines, living in his little apartment in the San Fernando Valley. He didn't want money. No, he wanted to barter for his services, for 3-D graphic software and hard drives with mega-ca-

"Every job I took, it was with computer parts in mind," he says. "And that's how I built my Frankenstein."

Conran never cared much about rebooting your system. Rather, he was imagining. with a kind of mad scientist desire, rebooting the entire movie industry.

And now the world can see what Conran has wrought, with the release of "Sky Captain and the World of Tomorrow," a movie the writer-director began envisioning when he was 10 years old

It is a fantastical and original piece of work, that feels at once comfortable and

nostalgic but weird and new. Set in 1939, it stars Jude Law as the dashing Sky Captain, Gwyneth Paltrow as the plucky reporter Polly Perkins and Angelina Jolie as the eye-patched Franky Cook.

The actors are real. But everything else in the movie has been created on a computer. No locations. No sets. Every backdrop and scene that appears in the movie — the giant robots marching down Sixth Avenue; the hanging gardens of Shangri-La; the un-dersea lair of the evil mastermind Totenkopf; Radio City Music Hall - exist only on a hard drive, put together from a mélange of photographs, paintings and animation

The actors spent 26 days on a soundstage in London (most movies shoot for three or four months), performing their scenes against a completely blue back-ground, blue from floor to wall to ceiling, a blank canvas. And then Conran and his team added everything else - the zennelin docking at the Empire State Building, the tiny elephant that could fit into the palm of your hand, the flying aircraft carrier, the undersea monsters.

"The studios today are in this awkward and horrible position where films cost so much money to make, they have to be cautious so they can appeal to the broadest au-

animated film One night a friend of a friend, Marsha Oglesby, a Hollywood pro-ducer, came by for dinner and persuaded Conran to show her the six minutes. She was blown away by its look and feel. She showed the movie to

her boss, Jon Avnet, who showed it and the script to Jude Law, who showed it to Gwyneth Paltrow, and then they brought in Italian producer Aurelio De Laurentiis for financing and Paramount bought the domestic rights.

industry trades estimate the movie eventually cost \$70 million make. Not cheap. Conran says he is not an accountant, shrugs

and says, "What the movie cost is one-quar ter to one-third of a live-action summer movie like 'Van Helsing' or 'Spider-Man.



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Evaluate financial fitness

NEW YORK - Physical fitness is important for your health. Being financially fit is also important, no matter what your lifestyle.

Before you get your finances in order, you need to analyze how well you're already doing. Steven B. Smith, author of the new "Money for Life Success Planner," offers the following questions you can ask yourself to evaluate your progress.

- 1. What percentage of your income do you save each month?
 - (a) 10 percent or more (b) Less than 10 percent
 - (c) None
- 2. How many times during the past six months have you paid a bill late?
- (a) None (b) One to five
- (c) Six or more
- 3. How many credit cards or store cards do you have?
 - (a) Three or fewer (b) Four to six
 - (c) Seven or more

4. If you lost your job or main source of income, how long could you provide for your basic needs and meet your financial obligations?

- (a) Three or more months
- (b) One to two months (c) Less than one month
- 5. If you needed to come up with money quickly to pay for a major home repair or an emergency, what source would you

(a) Funds already on hand

- (b) Funds from available cred-
- (c) No funds available without
- establishing additional credit 6. How often do you use a monthly budget to track and
- limit your spending? (a) Almost always
 - (b) Sometimes
- (c) Never
- 7. Most of your major purchas-(a) planned in advance, with

money earmarked to cover them. (b) planned even though the

funds aren't always there to pay for them. (c) unplanned or spontaneous.

- 8. When you think about your ability to meet future financial obligations, you feel ...
 - (a) ... completely at ease.
 - (b) ... moderately concerned. (c) ... very concerned.

If you answered most questions with an "a," you're already in great financial shape. If you answered mostly "b." you're off to a good start, but could still stand to improve. If you answered mostly "c," you need to learn better financial habits.

No matter what your answer, now is a good time to sit down and examine your financial situation. Write down your financial goals - get out of debt, save for your child's college education, or have a buffer for emergencies - and plan how to accomplish



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Saint Bernards losing jobs to technology

Helicopters, heat sensors taking dogs' place for Alpine rescues

BY ERICA BULMAN

The Associated Press

GENEVA — Switzerland's Saint Bernard, famed for rescuing avalanche victims in the Alps, is finally bowing its massive head, the fabled barrel around its neck replaced with a "for sale" sign.

Heavy and slow in the deep Alpine snow, expensive to feed and their jobs largely taken over by helicopters and heat sensors, the once-proud dogs have found themselves obsolete and a drain on the resources of the religious order that has raised and trained them for centuries.

There is no record of when Saint Bernards first started rescuing people, but they are credited with saving some 2,000 travelers over the past 200 years on the Saint Bernard Pass on the border with Italy.

With their usefulness at an end, however, the Congregation of Canons of the Great Saint Bernard is ready to sell the 18 adults and 16 pups.

Big and bulky, an adult male

can weigh up to 220 pounds and eat more than four pounds of meat a day. They also take up a lot of time and energy, says Brother Frederic, one of five monks living at the famed hospice on the pass.

"At first, and even at the beginning of the century, they were very useful," Brother Frederic said. "But in 1955, there came the helicopter," which had limited room for the large dogs.

By 1975, the last time one of the dogs was used on a mission, they had mostly been replaced at rescue scenes by smaller, speedier golden retrievers and German shepherds.

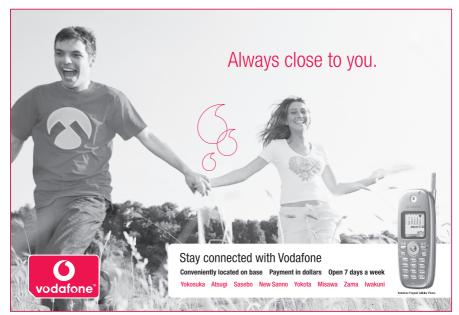
But the Saint Bernards remain the tourist's best friend.

The dogs are expected to be sold to associations rather than individuals. The buyers will be required to let them return to the pass each summer.

"Nothing will really change when the dogs are sold," said Brother Frederic. "Just the ownership. It will take a load off of us and allow us to spend more time with those who need it. But the dogs will still be around."



Elodie has the famous barrel around her neck as she sits in front of the peak of the Great Saint Bernard in Switzerland in August 2001. The once-fabled rescue dogs have been mostly replaced by speedier helicopters and heat sensors.





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Impossible to effect change

As if it's not bad enough that we are already the laughingstock of the world for our puritanical views on sex, now some one feels the need to reinforce these beliefs with a new rule! Well let's think about this for a minute.

Let me add that I am married and my wife is in agreement with me. I am not trying to throw women's rights back to "the stone age"; both sexes engage in this but, let's face reality, it's mostly the men.

First off prostitution has been around longer than any military, and all military forces have engaged in it. For someone to think that no one, or only a small number of people, in the military have engaged in this is a sure sign of blissful ignorance. One has to wonder what kind of planning it will take to get all the equipment back from Cobra Gold (held in Thailand) as all the American armed forces there will be in jail! Also ships going into port, after six months at sea, are going to be a problem. Where will they be stored?

Using our idea of "we are protecting people" is equally as foolhardy. I'm sure it would make people happy to know that prostitutes in Third World countries are no longer working, but how happy will they be to discover that those same individuals are now out of work and are starying. Remember welfare and unemployment checks are not offered in the majority of the world.

One last thing along the lines of "demon safety": I would guess it may be safer to be with someone who is tested for HIV/STDs every few months (as is mandatory in many areas) as opposed to someone you just met in a bar who may never have been tested.

Staff Sgt. Glenn Fleming

Could be just first restriction

Having read the Sept. 24 article "Troops support, wonder about effectiveness of anti-prostitution rules" in the Japan edition of Stars and Stripes, I have a few comments. Having separated from

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the Air Force several years ago and now being a contractor I really don't like the way this law (or rule) is headed. The change in policy by the extreme conservative minority seems to be the start to a whole series of rules to come

I have neither hired a prostitute nor do I intend to do so in my lifetime. I am against women (and men, for that matter) being forced into any job or situation that could be considered "human trafficking" — to include both prostitution and working in "sweat shops." However, in places where prostitution is legal and the majority of people selling their services are doing so by choice, I don't see a prob-

"Prostitution" and "human trafficking" really should be separated from each other; yes, some of the prostitutes may have been sold into slavery but, in places where prostitution is legal, the majority of the prostitutes were not "sold" into it.

With the current thinking that I'm perceiving in the article and with the information I've been able to find on this pro-

posed policy change, I see this becoming a very serious problem in the future. I see the policy-setters going after other materials that the conservative minority dislikes. Such things as pornography were first, approximately two to three years ago much of the soft-core pornography was removed from the exchange shelves (see www.military

woman.org/smutban.htm). As of right now the purchase and sale of such material is protected under the First Amendment

At the time there were a lot of negative comments about this course of action. However, now that everyone has gotten used to this change, the conservative mi-nority has decided to make another change. This is where we are right now. The next item most likely will be the policing of Internet sites that military members can visit. After that change, the next thing may be forbidding any premarital sex. These things will be just around the corner if we open the door to this sort of policy change.

In places where prostitution is already illegal, of course punish everyone involved with it — the "pimp." the prostitute and the "john." But in places where it is legal, it should be treated as any other form of entertainment. I would really like to see everyone think this proposed punishment completely through before anyone jumps up and shouts: "What a great idea!" You may be giving up a lot more than you realize

There is a lot of opportunity for this change to actually be a positive one; however, it needs to be a lot more defined and detailed than it seems to be. Things need to be spelled out in great detail, and both "human trafficking" and "prostitution" need to be completely defined within the context of the policy. Without a lot of forethought and great detail in the defining of what is and is not "prostitution" and "human trafficking," this rule will [result in] people being sent to prison for all sorts of things that should be accept-

David Miller Misawa, Japan

BY GARRY TRUDEAU

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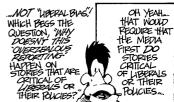




Mallard Fillmore

By BRUCE TINSLEY OH YEAH.





Looking at the news

A weekly sampling of U.S. editorial cartoons

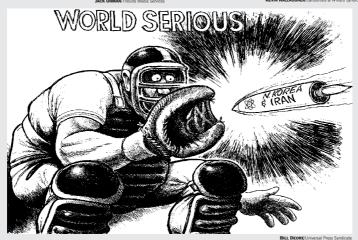




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Man rescued

WOODFORD, Vt. — A Shaftsbury man who spent 24 hours lost in the woods was rescued safely.

Wolfgang Ludwig, 64, was the subject of a search by police, friends, relatives and game wardens.

His wife, Priscila, said that he probably would have found his way out.

Ludwig went to the Aiken Wilderness in Woodford to scout moose for the upcoming hunting season, she said.

He realized that the sun was setting sooner then he expected, and knowing that he wouldn't make it to his car before dark, he settled down and started a fire with a lighter he had taken with him. she said.

Hours after he first entered the woods, the search party found Ludwig in perfect health and well rested from his night by a fire.

Faucet a beacon of hope

MARIANNA — James Abney lost everything when a tornado spawned by Hurricane Ivan demolished everything he had — except remnants of the kitchen sink.

The only thing left where his trailer home had been standing was his kitchen faucet, supported by narrow water pipes. In fact, the faucet became a beacon of hope, towering at sink-level in a devastated trailer park.

After seeing an Associated Press photograph of the spigot sticking into the air, Delta Faucet workers recognized the fixture as one of theirs and tracked Abney down.

The Indianapolis-based company gave Abney \$10,000 toward a down payment on his new home in Abbeville, Ala.

City wants parts back

KS WICHITA — A man who landed parts of a sculpture mistakenly put up for auction is still at odds with the city, which wants them back.

The base plate and a 17-inch section of the stainless steel sculpture by James Rosati were sold to Matthew Cuellar at the auction of surplus items.

Joe Lang, assistant city attorney, said officials were still considering what to do.

The sculpture, "Upright Form V," was donated to the city in the early 1990s. It formerly was located near the Willowbend Golf Club, but had been in storage. While it hasn't been appraised, estimates have placed the sculpture's value at between \$7,000 and \$30,000.

Cuellar, who paid \$45 for the two pieces, has said he will sell them back to the city for one-third of the sculpture's true value.

Firefighter misconduct

CA SACRAMENTO — Nineteen city firefighters were disciplined for misconduct that included using fire trucks to pick up women at bars and drinking on the job, the Sacramento fire chief said.

The department fired six firefighters, suspended seven without pay and reprimanded six others after a 3½-month investigation,



said Chief Julius "Joe" Cherry. One woman was among those disciplined.

Investigators found that several other firefighters took two trucks and an ambulance to a local event known as the "Porn Star Costume Ball" at a hotel where a woman claimed she was sexually assaulted. Prosecutors concluded the act on one of the fire rigs was consensual and declined to press charges, Cherry said.

Riot report released

DENVER — Inmates were severely beaten, cells were ransacked and set on fire, and a female librarian was trapped with dozens of convicts during a riot last summer at a privately run prison, according to a recently released state report.

The report by the state Department of Corrections concludes that managers at the Crowley County Correctional Facility were slow to respond to the July 20 riot because of indecision and understaffing.

According to the report, immates nearly overran the prison, which is owned and operated by the Corrections Corporation of America. They smashed sinks and toilets, set fires, destroyed appliances and rifled through files to find the names of suspected informants and sex offenders, the report said.



Colorful foliage

Silos and a barn at Rider Farms on state Route 23 in Davenport Center, N.Y., are surrounded by fall colors. The report says prison managers incorrectly told arriving law enforcement officials that all employees had been evacuated. The librarian was trapped in the library, and two prison officers had locked themselves in a cell, the report said

All three were rescued safely, the report said. Their names were not released.

Blues Brothers chase

MN CRYSTAL — Police responding to a call of a convulsing Elvis Presley impersonator soon found themselves in a high-speed chase of another faux celebrity — a man dressed as one of the Blues Brothers.

Crystal Police Capt. Dave Oyaas said the bizarre string of events began when officers were called to a veterans hall to find a man dressed as Elvis Presley apparently in convulsions.

When the officers approached, Oyaas said the man suddenly jumped up and yelled, "Viva Las Vegas!" before singing show tunes.

At about the same time, two women said another man at the veterans hall dressed as John Belushi's character in "The Blues Brothers" had stolen their car and driven to a nearby airport.

The man led police on a high-speed chase around the airport before officers forced him to ston and arrested him.

Court: Tractor not a toy

RUTLAND — A John
Deere lawn and garden tractor is made for work, not for fun.
At least that's how the Vermont
Supreme Court sees it

The court ruled in a dispute between an insurance company and the driver of a lawn tractor who injured his son while using his son's lawn tractor to plow snow at his son's home in Rutland Town.

The insurance company's policy covered injuries sustained in a recreational vehicle accident, not a work-related vehicle.

The state's highest court sided with the insurance company's decision to deny coverage for the accident, ruling that the lawn tractor was a work vehicle.

Norton ruled in favor of Concord General, concluding that the tractor was designed for work, not recreation. Delong appealed to Vermont Supreme Court.

Abuse at camp alleged

MD SALISBURY — Law enforcement officials and the Maryland Department of Juvenile Services are investigating an allegation of child abuse at the Lower Shore DRILL Academy, a military-style boot camp.

Wicomico County Sheriff R. Hunter Nelms, whose office oversees the boot camp, said an officer is accused of physically assaulting a student. Nelms declined to provide details, saying they would be released when the investigation is completed.

The Discipline Respect Integrity Learning Leadership Academy opened in December. It is a rehabilitation center for youths who have had brushes with the law.



Festival fun Pushed by Cambrelle Brown, 11, Northwood Elementary student Meredith Stabel, 11, reacts as the wheelbarrow she is riding in knocks over one ridden by fellow student Ali Elbasher. 11, during a race at the school's Fall Festival in Northwood, lowa.



Mixing it up Dave Marten and his daughter, Julie, stit two of four large Burgo cauldrons amidst the crafts and people swarming around Utica, III., for the annual Burgoo Festival. The Burgoo stew is a mixture of beef and vegetables that is cooked for 15 hours and symbolizes the heritage of the area when farmers, traders, hunters and others would gather at the end of the harvest season to sell and trade goods.



Wigging out Marie Williams of Cleveland, Ala., reacts to her new hair extension at the Styles Extended booth at the Southern Women's Show at the Birmingham Jefferson Convention Complex.



Curious creature A calf moose kneels to browse dandelion leaves near an ornamental rock in a residential yard in Eagle River, Alaska.



Cowboys on the job
The Cronin brothers move cattle
from their summer range to fall
pastures along the Missouri River
near West Whitlock, S.D.



Thinking of the next move Cousins Makalah Roberts, left, and Victoria Smith play a game on a checker board using Coca-Cola bottle caps at the McDaniel

Shipping cows to Cuba

VI MONTPELIER — Vermont expects to send its first shipment of dairy cattle to Cuba early next year as part of a trade agreement.

Agriculture Secretary Steve

Kerr traveled to the island nation for a week in early September to help fine-tune an estimated \$7 million deal for Vermont companies to sell dairy cattle, nonfat powdered milk and apples to Cuba. Vermont's products are high

quality, Kerr said recently. "If we can be competitive, there's no reason not to compete successfully and have a share of the sales."

The heifers are expected to head to Cuba in the first quarter of 2005. Details of the powdered milk and apple deals are still being worked out, Kerr said.

Cold War tribute

MO WELDON SPRING — For more than a year, Denise Brock has been trying to win government compensation for workers who were exposed to high levels of radiation while helping to create the atom bomb and Cold War-era weapons.

Now Brock has her eye on another kind of recognition for their

Brock is working with the Department of Energy to build an exhibit that will tell the story of more than 3,500 Missourians who worked on the U.S. atom bomb program and at Cold War-era nuclear sites in St. Louis, Weldon Spring and Hematite. Mo.

The tribute should be completed by year's end and will become a permanent display at the Weldon Spring Interpretive Center.

Upholding morals

BOISE — During these tough budget times, schools don't often pass up a check for \$10,000. But that's just what one Idaho charter school has done — to set a moral example for students.

The North Star Public Charter School turned down the money because it came from the Idaho State Lottery and school officials decided that taking gambling money would conflict with the school's mission of developing virtuous citizens.

"We couldn't in good conscience take the money," said Gale Pooley, co-founder and chairman of the school board. "It's the less fortunate and the poor in the communities who are buying these tickets, and children are the ones who will pay for it."

Ducky dispute

TN SPRING HILL Katherine Williams says the yellow ducky sponge she put on sale at a flea market is merely a child's toy. City officials say the vibrator inside makes it a sex toy.

But officials in this Nashville suburb backed off from citing Williams for violating the city's sexually oriented business ordinance because she had already taken down her display by the time police responded to complaints. Nearby vendors also refused to be witnesses in the case.

Williams, whose Passions & Pleasures business sells lotions and adult novelties at in-home

parties, described her product line as "PG-13" and said she got only two negative comments at the flea market

Apple crop thin

GRAYSLAKE — A May frost followed by cool summer temperatures thinned this year's apple crop in the state's northern orchards. It's also cut short the self-picking season, which usually runs through the end of October. Meanwhile, orchards in southern Illinois are reporting a bumper crop.

Blind endeavors

SAN FRANCISCO — Scott Duncan and Pamela Habek have embarked on an attempt to sail alone around the world, a journey made even more treacherous by the fact that both are legally blind.

Duncan, 38, and Habek, 42, set out in a 32-foot cutter for what they hope is a two-year voyage that takes them down the coast to Panama, across the Pacific and Indian oceans, around the tip of South Africa, through the Panama Canal and back home.

With the help of modern technology that includes a talking Global Positioning System and a 10-power video magnifier the can use for reading charts, the couple is confident they have what they need to avoid sailing into harm's way even without perfect vision.

Snake on the tracks

YONKERS — Commuters waiting for a train to the northern suburbs of New York City were surprised to see a boa constrictor lying on the railroad tracks, but the snake didn't block the rails for long.

Passengers in Yonkers saw the 10-foot snake curled up on the tracks.

"We couldn't figure out if it was alive or not," passenger Edith Lynn Beer told The New York Times. "It was very thick. It had those rectangular markings."

A few minutes later, while police debated what to do, a train rumbled into the station and "bifurcated the reptilian trespasser," said Dan Brucker, a spokesman for the Metro-North rail line.

Lawsuit over firings

LAKE STATION — Pederal housing officials are suing the Lake County Board of Commissioners and other officials over the 2000 firings of two administrators. The two supported a mixed-income housing development opposed by Lake Station residents and officials. Commissioners and officials commission which were legal. A 2001 federal consent decree ordered Lake Station to build the development.

Searching for clues

RAWLINS — Experts have reconstructed the face of a 100-year-old Carbon County murder victim in an attempt to identify him. The man was killed by a single gunshot to the head around 1900. The man's damaged skull and skeleton were found in 1996 in a dune west of Seminoe Reservoir.

Stories and photos from wire services.

J Horoscope

This afternoon, the moon enters Sagittarius, the sign of adventure. Go have one! Travel by train, plane or automobile is favored. It doesn't even matter where Joyce Jillson you're going because all the fun is in getting there. Libra planets assure that if you start out alone, you'll wind

up with new friends. And if you start out with friends, you'll wind up with more **TODAY'S BIRTHDAY** (October 16). Big surpris-

es are in the works for you this year. An unexpected promotion comes before the winter holidays. You're fortunate in other ways, too, perhaps winning a vacation or eloping! With everything moving so fast, remember to slow down and take time out for simple pleasures. The children in your life need extra guidance

through January. ARIES (March 21-April 19). Love deeply and passionately. You might get hurt, but it's the only way to live completely. Besides, your partner will be able to tell if you're holding back, and this will be to your

disadvantage. Make your feelings TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Your schedule changes abruptly due to unforeseen circumstances. Make your case as succinctly as possible,

course. Try not to take your work home with you. GEMINI (May 21-June 21). Get out and socialize. Whether vou're at a business function or a dinner party with friends, you're likely to meet someone of the opposite sex who could very well become

and then, let things take their

an important business contact CANCER (June 22-July 22). You find yourself changing your mind about something you thought you'd settled long ago. This change is going to take a bit of effort to unravel and probably will involve

another person. Ask a Leo or Sagittarius for advice. LEO (July 23-Aug. 22). If there's one thing you hate, it's being typecast. So if people are trying to

stuff you into a particular mold they're in trouble. You'll probably find yourself doing something shock-

ing just to get a reaction. VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22). You're feeling positively daring. You're liable to do something impulsive, like call in sick to work and

road-trip it to Vegas for a long week end, maybe longer

Shaking up your old routine is a good thing. Feel free to indulge

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23). Something bizarre could fall from the clear blue sky. Literally! It would behoove you to keep your head up and be aware of your surroundings as you're walking around. You receive something unexpected, possibly found money.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 21). You're somewhat accident-prone, so

he careful. That ones double for an unintended slip of the tongue that could get you into trouble. If single, you're most likely to meet someone if you go out with a group of friends.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21). What comes around goes around. The good deed you do may benefit you at the least expected time. Of course, if you do someone a kindness expecting to get some-

thing in return, that sort of defeats the numose CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19). Give people more than they expect, and do it with a smile on your face. You just might be able to kill the bad morale in a certain group with kindness. If not, get out. When the going gets tough, the tough go

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18).

You've never been one to take things lying down, but now, you are in a prime position to make your voice heard. You're probably already registering people to vote and licking envelopes for your favorite candidate

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20).

Respect yourself and the abilities of the people on your team. You've got something really big brewing, and you cannot go it alone on this one. Defer to your lawyer, business partner or family whenever possible and appropriate

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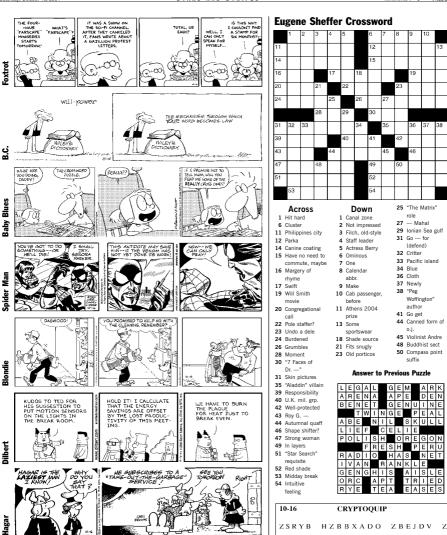


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ARE YOU HAVING A GOOD TIME?

BECAUSE I'M NOT!

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B Y T R Y V P A T H Z T Y . Yesterday's Cryptoquip: IF A GROUP OF PARADERS SUDDENLY STARTED ACTING INSANELY, IS THAT MARCH MADNESS? Today's Cryptoquip Clue: R equals T

by Henri Arnold and Mike Argirion

Not exactly

gourmet, but

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Mom chooses boyfriend over kid JUMBLE

Dear Abby: I am a mother of two. I recently learned that my 16-year-old daughter, "Rene," pregnant. When she told me who the father is, I discovered she had been having an affair with my live-in boyfriend, "Leo." It was devastating. I am engaged to marry Leo, Dear Abby

and I still love him. I made Rene move out. I know this seems harsh because she is pregnant, but I feel I can have a good relationship with Leo only if Rene is not around. I don't mean to choose him over her, but Rene is my daughter. and she should have known better.

What do you think I should do? I don't want to disown her. Also, I want to raise Rene's baby as my own, and this infuriates her. Who is wrong? Please give me your insight

- Confused in Canada Dear Confused: Please reorganize your priorities. Your duty is to protect your children. Leo is

an adult. Your daughter is only 16. Leo has far more experience. Your fiance is a predator who may have pursued you in order to get close to your daughter. You say you have two children.

Is the other child a daughter too? It's time to show your fiance

the door and call the stay with you until she's able to complete her education and care for herself and her

baby. And Leo should help to financially support the child until it is an adult

Dear Abby: MV husband talks constant-

ly. He can't sit through a movie or watch a television show without piping up. He has "loads of information" on every

If we are out in public and someone speaks, my husband goes into high gear. When we go to his office - he is a truck drivThey dread to see him coming

I can't speak to him in confi dence about personal things, or finances, and trust that he won't repeat everything he knows. I don't know how to stop him. He seems oblivious. It has become an embarrassment to be out with him. I find myself trying to avoid him at home

Please help me. I love my husband.

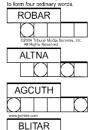
- Really Down in T-Town Dear Really Down: Your husband may be a compulsive talker. He could be trying to compen sate for insecurity or have an emotional problem. Since you can't get through, your next step is to get him professional help It's sad that someone who probably only wants to be liked and accepted is driving those around him away, and it may take counseling for your husband to recog-nize what he's doing.

Letters for this column - with your name and phone number — should be addressed to Dear Abby, P.O. Box 69440, Los Angeles CA 90069. Readers can write to Abby on the Internet at

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Family Circus



"That rain we told last week to come back again another day, picked today."

Tips to fight childhood obesity

Dear Annie: As a recently retired physical educator and health teacher. I had a unique opportunity to watch children eat and play during the day. I have been witness to the increasing weight problems our children are facing. Here are a few helpful hints to help parents lead the way to healthier eating:

1. Parents, not the children, buy the food. Purchase only healthy food, and they will eat only healthy food. Believe me, they'll adjust and so will you.

2. Many vegetables are now sold pre-packaged or cut up and ready to throw in a sandwich bag, Carrots, broccoli and cherry tomatoes all are tasty treats. Grapes, bananas, oranges and apples also make great, easy

3. Dairy products are good sources of calcium and protein Try yogurt in tubes and string



subject.

cheese sticks. And kids love those cheese-and-cracker

packs 4. Cut out the high-fat foods like potato chips and chocolate-covered snacks. They fill up the kids with empty calories, and an hour later, they

are hungry again.
5. Cereal is a popular and healthy snack Balance it with cheese for protein or fruit that provides vita-

mins and fiber. 6. Both peanut butter and yogurt make great dips for fruit

Try apples and celery with peanut butter, and cantaloupe and strawberries with yogurt 7. Serve a full and nutritious

breakfast. It makes a tremen dous difference in your child's ability to concentrate and learn during school hours

8. Improve your child's fitness by improving your own. Walk, hike, shoot hoops, ride bikes,

climb mountain paths, play tennis, ski, jump rope, swim, kick a soccer ball, rake leaves, or do an

exercise video Resure to include the kids

9. Never, ever, ever call your child fat. Accept children as they are. Talk instead about healthy living, teach them good eating habits, provide healthy food, and engage in family fitness activities

10. Support stronger physical education programs and health curriculums in your schools. Sincerely.

> - A Retired Teacher in Eliot, Maine

Dear Teacher: Your guidelines are excellent, and we hope parents will clip them out and keep them handy when they go to the grocery store. Thank you.

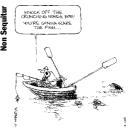
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dena - 1994 Toyota Windom: o tone pearl, 80,000km, ice 1 A/C, 2 year JCI. Asking 300.00. If interested call	Interior: AMP-M racio, Cassette Player, power Steering, power windows. JCI is good until AUG 05. A/C is not working, but other then that it runs great!! It's only \$800!! We have to sell it ASAP. Richard or Mika Tant HP# 6 3 7 - 4 2 7 0 C E L L # 999.3795-9423	Kadena - 2001 Honda CBR 929	646-4176 or email at	looking for a baby gate, the kind that closes into a circle; I think	neff@okinawa.army.mil or call 646-6289 after 5pm.	Courtney, Okinawa - HP 4300 Series laptop computer 1Ghz	for bedding and stuff, 646-2332.
300.00. If interested call -3226 or 09097835843.		Kadena - 2001 Honda CBR 929 RR: Black on Black, mint condition, low miles, K&N air, D&D exhaust, custom decals, steel brake lines, smoked wind screen, New M1 tires, very	Foster, Okinawa - PIAA light bar	Courtney, Okinawa - I am looking for a baby gate, the kind that closes into a circle; I think they are about 18 sq. ft. email silvio@oasis.mediatti.net or call 622-8470	Kadena, Okinawa - CTC Govt- 2301: \$50.00. Democracy Under Pressure 9th ED (an introduc-	Courtney, Okinawa - HP 4300 Series laptop computer 1Ghz processor (384K RAM) 30 Gig HD XP Home addition w/ CD (CD-RW drive) \$550.00 call Mike 622-8235.	Foster, Okinawa - Be Armoire with 2 large and drawers with mirrored which opens to a shell Cherry solid wood fir Inside of door have hoo
lena - 1995 Nissan Silvia	Kinser - 1991 Delica 4x4: Cold A/C, CD player, JCI until March 2005 \$2,500.00. Call 637-3616.	steel brake lines, smoked wind screen, New M1 tires, very fast.6000 obo. Call Jarid	Foster, Okinawa - PIAA light bar with 3 KC Day lighter lights \$150.00 OBO call 646-2350/ 090-6860-3891.		Pressure 9th ED (an introduc- tion to the American Political	(CD-RW drive) \$550.00 call Mike 622-8235.	drawers with mirrored which opens to a shelf
ke, exhaust, and few other things light front end	2005 \$2,500.00. Call 637-3616.	633-0309.	Foster - Sony 10-disc changer	Foster, Okinawa - Crib for sale. \$60.00. Call 646-3984.	tion to the American Political System)/by Milton C. Cummings & David Wise. In great condition no markings. Contact Jackie at 633-2504 or email	Courtney, Okinawa - Sony Valo TRZA Notebook with Intel Cen- trino; Pentium M 1 GHz procesor, 40 GB drive, CD-FW/DVD Drive, built in motion eya already has MS Office. Never used. Great compact Laptop sells for \$2,100.00 at PX, only looking for \$1,500.00. Call 622-e4485.	Cherry solid wood fir Inside of door have hoo
ke, exhaust, and few other things light front end nage will sell as whole or part make offer call Cody at 3-9371 or email edracer170@aol.com for	Kinser - 1992 Bongo van MX set-up can hold 3 bikes. New CD player, AC works, JCl until October 2005 \$1,100.00 call	Kadena - 2002 Kawasaki KX85: Excellent Shape, fresh engine, new graphics, & more. Ready to ride. \$1,600.00 Contact Craig at 633 - 2589 or em a il bakers5@oasis.mediatti.net	Foster - Sony 10-disc changer for car. Works great. \$50 obo. Call 646-8760. Leave message if no answer.	Foster, Okinawa - HALLOWEEN	633-2504 or email jackiekeeter@yahoo.com	trino; Pentium M 1GHz process- or, 40 GB drive, CD-RW/DVD	hanging necklaces. \$850.00 selling for \$350.
3-93/1 or email edracer170@aol.com for ures.		new graphics, & more. Ready to ride. \$1,600.00 Contact Crain at	Kadena Okinawa - Car Stereo:	old navy 18-24 mon frog, a	Kadena, Okinawa - Home-	already has MS Office. Never	646-2332 or e my3mos@konnect.net
	Kinser - 1996 Baby Blue Marino	633-2589 or email bakers5@oasis.mediatti.net	Kenwood KRC-888 Cassette receiver, black, CD changer	626, and 3-4T Championship fighter/ Boxer, If interested, call		sells for \$2,100.00 at PX, only looking for \$1,500.00. Call	Race Car Bed for sale
lena - 1997 Suzuki Wagon Wide, fully loaded, turbo rged, great gas mileage, omatic, new CD player and ohama tires. JCI until Dec.	Kinser - 1996 Baby Blue Marino 4 door for sale cold A/C very clean and runs great. We just bought a van and it must go ASAP. JCI until Feb 2006	Kadena - 93 Honda Steedi- Shadow: Must see extended forks, rear lowering kit, drag pipes, hyper-charger, dial-a-jek tuel upgrade, To many custom parts to list, Fools evenybody looks like a Harley, \$2,700.00 Firm call 633-3766.	Kenwood KRC-888 Cassette receiver, black, CD changer controller, 45w x4, removable faceplate, Dolby B/C, direct program search, front/rear preout RCA jacks for adding amp \$45.00 cm. \$22,4024 cm.	Foster, Okinawa - HALLOWEEN COSTUMES - I am selling an old navy 18-24 mon frog, a Disney store xxx stick-i invader 626, and 3-4T Championship lighter 8 wer. If interested, call Sarah 646-2114 or email siz1serrano@msn.com. Pictures are available.	helpers for sale. Call for list, 633-1229.		Foster. Okinawa - Little Race Car Bed for sale mattress. Bed is in ex- condition. Sacrificing for \$60.00. Call 646-5868.
ohama tires. JCI until Dec. 5. Asking \$2,300.00 and	ASAP. JCI until Feb 2006 \$1,500.00 OBO. Call Steve or Tamara 637-3344.	forks, rear lowering kit, drag pipes, hyper-charger, dial-a-jet	out RCA jacks for adding amp \$45.00 call 633-4034 or	are available.	Kadena, Okinawa - SET OF BOOKS FOR SALE: Hard back:	Courtney, Okinawa - Stowaway portable keyboard for IPAQ 3600, 3700, & 3800 series.	Foster, Okinawa - Small
 Asking \$2,300.00 and a over payments. Must sell 9662 	Kinser - 93 Honda Prelude: Red	fuel upgrade, To many custom parts to list, Fools everybody	\$45.00 call 633-4034 or turpin_s@hotmail.com	Kadena, Okinawa - Costco Eddie Bauer edition double	the cross of lead, Mars & Venus in love. Men are from mars.	Brand new, never used. Paid \$89.95, but will let go for \$45.00. Call 622-8234 or cell 090-1945-9762.	
dena - 91 INFINITY Q45, 4 or, power windows, power ks, power system, AC, tinted dows, leather seats, sunroof,	power everything. CD player. "JCI until August 2006". Runs	Firm call 633-3766.	Kadena, Okinawa - JIC coll over suspension for 180sx. Don't have any wrenches for it. Asking \$300.00 OBO. Call Corey from Mon-Fri 0900-2100 @ 633-6827.	Kadena, Okinawa - Costco Eddle Bauer edition double stroller. Green/cream colored. Very clean and in excellent condition. Pictures available upon request. \$100.00 OBO call	Opera Winfrey Speaks, Crispin the cross of lead, Mars & Venus in love, Men are from mars, Women From Venus, Celion dion, my story my dream. All in perfect condition, \$3.00 each or	090-1945-9762.	computer stands \$6.00 DVD storage unit \$18.00. DVD storage shelf \$ please call 646-3521 09097803496.
ks, power system, AC, tinted dows, leather seats, sunroof,	great, non-smoker, cold A/C. First \$1,900.00 takes the car. Call Kristi at 637-3739. Pictures can be e-mailed at your request.	Kadena - Nice black motorcycle helmet \$30.00 dollars call	\$300.00 OBO. Call Corey from Mon-Fri 0900-2100 @	upon request. \$100.00 OBO call 633-6743 or email	dion, my story my dream. All in perfect condition. \$3.00 each or the lot for \$10.00. Call Marie 633-6441.	Foster, Okinawa - DVD BURN- ER: Internal DVD/CD burner. Black, 8X DVD +R/+ RW, New	please call 646-3521 09097803496.
ise control, air bag suspen- n, CD player, JCI until Jan			633-6827.			Black 8X DVD +R/+ RW, New in box. Includes software My	Foster, Okinawa - Souder tainment Center. Paid \$2 for it brand new. Asking 5 obo. I think it fits up to a not sure though. Call 646 I need to get rid of it as so possible.
n, CD player, JCI until Jan 16, asking \$3000.00 call 2-3045, or email bayec@yahoo.com.	Kinser - 94 Honda Integra: 4-door in great shape with under 60,000 kilos, automatic, A/C, CD Stereo, PS and PB. Runs and drives well: \$1,900.00 OBO, Call Tim at 637-4299 for more information.		Kadena, Okinawa - Looking for 4-door skyline side skirt. If you have any please call. Ok if there broke I can fix them. 09019401236 or leave a mes-	Kadena, Okinawa - White Crib & Changing Table. Comes	Radena, Oxinawa - Iroy State University - PA6601, 6610, 6622, 6624, 6644, 6650, 6646, 6630, and HRM6604 & 6632 textbooks plus APA manuals for sale. All in good condition. Call 633-1704 for prices and to confirm ISPN	Black 8X DVD +R/+ RW, New in box. Includes software My DVD and Power DVD for creation and playback of DVDs Designed for Windows XP, 2000 and ME. Retail \$135.00 Sell for \$90.00 Call 646-6292.	for it brand new. Asking 5 obo. I think it fits up to a
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dena 92 Black Honda lude: H22A Vtec, Sunroof, S Intake, Headers, Exhaust, peed, New rear tires, 16 inch	Tim at 637-4299 for more information.	with free 3 rail motorcycle trailer. Call 633-6954.	Kadana Okinawa - Lookina for	Changing Table. Comes wimatress, crib bumper (Blue Jean Teddy), BJT lamp, BJT comforter, BJT blankets & sheets, BJT mobile & BJT diaper holder! Crib converts 2 beds. Good, excellent condition! \$140,00 FIRM takes all 6 3 2 3 8 3 3 mandyandtywone@yahoo.com	633-1704 for prices and to confirm ISBN.	Foster, Okinawa - Printers: Epson barely used asking \$40.00 Brother Printer, fax, PC fax and scan. Asking \$45.	Foster, Okinawa - Step
k racing rims, Runs perfect, I due Sept 2005. Drives rellent, Cold AC, Great up- p maintenance, never had a blem. \$2,800 OBO. Call	Kinser - 97 Suzuki Rasheen "Japanese Compact Car" 4dr-Hatchback, A/C, Vehicle is in Excellent driving condition. PCSingl JCI until August 2006. \$2,300.0 OBO Contact 637-4672(H) 09097866589 cell.	Kadena, Okinawa - 2003 Yama- ha PW80 dirt bike well main- tained and in excellent condi- tion. Air-cooled three-speed shift	front adjustable suspension for r32 with or without camber plates is ok. Call 09019401236 or 633-5563.	beds. Good, excellent condition! \$140.00 FIRM takes all	Seoul, Korea-UMUC COMM 400, Mass Media Law 13th ed. w/CD Pember \$20. E-mail	\$40.00. Brother Printer, fax, PC fax and scan, Asking \$45.	Foster, Okinawa - Step very wide bed with sunro cruise control. Very low m
ellent, Cold AC, Great up- ip maintenance, never had a	4dr-Hatchback, A/C, Vehicle is in Excellent driving condition.	tained and in excellent condi- tion. Air-cooled three-speed shift	plates is ok. Call 09019401236 or 633-5563.	6 3 2 - 3 8 3 3 mandyandtywone@yahoo.com	w/CD Pember \$20. E-mail	message.	my kid prefers the \$100.00 call Sean at 646-
-3369/090-9783-0158	PCSingl JCI until August 2006. \$2,300.00 OBO Contact	able automatic, which allows the beginner to learn how to shift nears. Great starter hike for	Kadena, Okinawa - SAS Bazoo- ka RS10A-HP amplified sub: Great addition to factory stereo without taking up all your trunk space. Asking \$175.00 OBO. Call Chuck at 633-6734.		kenbakameyer@yahoo.com DSN 738-3156 cell-011-383- 4412	Kadena, Okinawa - 15" Comput-	Foster, Okinawa - Twi Race Car bed. Excellent tion. PX sells for \$329.0 are selling ours for \$2 Bookshelf for headboard a
lena - 92 Toyota Camry: AC, omatic, runs great, looks	Kinser - Must sell! 1995 Toyota	gears. Great starter bike for children. \$1,300.00 OBO call for more details anytime @	Great addition to factory stereo without taking up all your trunk	Bicycles 220		Call Greg at 633-6242.	are selling ours for \$2
matic, runs great, looks d, JCl due Nov 04, PCSing tt sell, great family car 0.00 OBO call 633-4677 or -2142 ark for Knith	EXIV: 4-doors, Kenwood AM/FM/CD/MP3 Player		space. Asking \$175.00 OBO. Call Chuck at 633-6734.	Courtney, Okinawa - Schwinn	Cellular Phones 280	Kadena, Okinawa: 17" Compact Monitor for Sell \$50.00 call 926 0068 or email eric.	chest for the nood of the
	w/remote/Amp Kit. Ice Cold Air Conditioner, All New Tires. JCI	Kadena, Okinawa - Brand New TYCO Motor X cycle in (27 MHZ) and (49 MKZ)- still in original package. Complete with TYCO TMH 30 minute Flash	Kadena Ckinawa - Set of used TEIN type HR coll cover, ride height adjustable, shocks. Tak- en off of R33 GTS-t. Includes	Air Dyne stationary bicycle: Dual action design, on board comput- er, transport wheels. Resistance increases as you pedal harder. Bought from the exchange 4	Foster - Wanted:CELLULAR PHONE: Looking for Cell Phone	roney@kadena.af.mil Kadena, Okinawa - Computer	Kadena - Black enterta center will fit up to 32in. T of storage! Please come a it, taking up space. St 633-3198 or o
ena - 93 Black Honda ire: JCI good until February	\$2,500 OBO. Available 25 Octo-	original package. Complete with TYCO TMH 30 minute Flash	height adjustable, shocks. Tak- en off of R33 GTS-t. Includes	er, transport wheels. Resistance increases as you pedal harder.	PHONE: Looking for Cell Phone with English Instructions that uses prepaid card. Please contact. Julia. 9646-5434 or	Desk- Like new, Paid \$115 will	of storage! Please come a
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	Kinser - Van Nissan Serena 1991 nice & round JCI 1 wear 3	ings) Great gift idea! Email: mgath@att.net or call 633-6142	jenn8164@yahoo.com		Kadena, Okinawa - Have a pre-paid Nokia Cell Phone for	Kadena, Okinawa - Computer	Kadena, Okinawa - Bo
ena - 93 Honda Prelude er: Has lots of new parts and	months, \$2,300 OBO AC front & rear great. Power everything.	Karlena Okinawa - KRC motor-	Kadena, Okinawa - Toyota Surf brush guard for sale, \$50.00 OBO. Call 633-3061.	Kadena, Okinawa - Mountain Bike for sale: Barely used	back in the United States, like new used for 6 weeks when I	right pull out for key board tons of over head storage and	center for sale: Tons of s & holds up to 36 in. TV, i condition, no damage \$150.00 MUST GO NOW or e-mail for info & pi
ena - 93 Honda Prelude ar: Has lots of new parts and very reliable, new parts de timing belt, 16 valves, head, ac belts, CV boots, se pads, and custom interior. Scott 633-0863. MUST	Kinser - Van Nissan Serena 1991 nice & round JCI 1 year 3 months, \$2,300 OBO AC front & rear great. Power everything, tinted windows, must sell. Call 6 37 - 471 or e m a II medrepair01@yahoo.com	cycle helmet (black) size M 57-58cm. Paid \$150.00, 5 months ago at ravuku custom	Kadena, Okinawa - Want to buy	Kadena, Okinawa - Mountain Bike for sale: Barely used. Excellent Condition. Comes with helmet, head/rear light, and reflector vest. \$60.00 Call Eddle at 633-2858.	Kadena, Okinawa - Have a pre-paid Nokia Cell Phone for back in the United States, like new used for 6 weeks when II was TAD. Includes case, battery charger, hands free device and instruction manual. \$40.00 Call Gail at 633-8154. Leave mes- sace.	desk with two drawers on the right pull out for key board tons of over head storage and display shelf up top on left side two shelf for books etc \$30.00 PCSing need to sell call \$33.0910 after 5 nm	s150.00 MUST GO NOV
e pads, and custom interior. Scott 633-0863 MILET	Torii station - 92' Toyota Van	months ago at rayuku custom cycles asking \$50.00 call 633-3766.	Kadena, Okinawa - Want to buy \$14 Silvia suspension parts. Front & rear camber adjustment kits/Front adjustable radius rods.	renector vest. \$60.00 Call Eddle at 633-2858.	Gall at 633-8154. Leave mes- sage.		633-0878 kristinhaley@h
	Torii station - 92' Toyota Van Town Ace, Captain Chairs, Moon Roofs, JCI JUL-06, \$2100.00 644-4110(w)	Kadena, Okinawa - KDX 200cc Dirt bike - It run like a scared deer up til last weekend!! Then it just quit on me? Have no ideas what's wrong with it?	kits/Front adjustable radius rods. If you have pictures, even better. Email me at Maximo. Chico@Navy.mil		-	Kadena, Okinawa - Have a Gateway computer with 15 inch monitor, keyboard, mouse, tow- er case, speakers, Epson Stytus	Kadana Okinawa - Cour
ena - 94 Estima Lucida: an, sun roof and moon roof, ad top, power everything, s 8, JCI until June 2005	646-6834(N)	deer up till last weekend!! Then it just quit on me? Have no	Chico@Navy.mil	Kadena, Okinawa - Women's multi-speed bike: Rarely used. Bought in Germany. Asking \$50.00 Call Paul or Dena at 632-3406 after 5:00pm.	Clothing 320	er case, speakers, Epson Stylus	seat and coffee table \$! Oak dining table with 6 c 2 extra in box \$350 2 size beds \$200 each,
	Torii station - 95' Mitsubishi RVR Open Gear Hardtop Convertible	ideas what's wrong with it? Probably something small! Will	Kadena, Okinawa - Wanted!!! I'm looking for a Silvia aftermar- ket front bumper for a good price. Anyone selling one peace call, 09097830158 or 633-3369	632-3406 after 5:00pm.	Foster, Okinawa - I have many maternity tops and bottoms size L old navy, and planet mother- hood all very oute! \$40.00 for all. Call Jeanie at 645-6923.	color printer, CD Rom, Floppy disk, 60 MB memory module, Intel Celeron processor. \$300.00 Call Gall at 633-8154.	size beds \$200 each, night stands go with oa Call Jeff 633-1980 leave
ena - '94 Toyota Vista for - \$700.00 A/C works tices	Open Gear Hardtop Convertible JCI JUL 06 \$2100.00 644-4110(w) 646-6834 (H)	Probably something small! Will take \$250.00 for bike! \$500.00 with trailer! Call 633-2848 Will Deliver!	price. Anyone selling one peace call 09097830158 or 633-3369	Boats 240	L old navy, and planet mother- hood all very oute! \$40.00 for all.	Leave Message.	sage please.
ena - '94 Toyota Vista for - \$700.00 A/C works, tires good, includes CD player, has not given us any slems, JCI good until July 5. Please call Amanda or tt McClure at Cell	Toril Station - SIL-90.JCI November 2005 blacktop SR20DET Sepeed, body kit, full suspension and tossion bars, new OS twin plate clutch, diff, s15 injectors, s14 turbine, tuned ECU, green with black roof and hood \$3,500.00 OBO call 644-4559 or dbpfeffer@hotmail.com		Verlage Ottomore Westerl DOS	240	Call Jeanie at 645-6923. Kadena, Okinawa - Assorted maternity clothes (toos, dresses.		Kadena, Okinawa - Do yo
slems, JCI good until July 5. Please call Amanda or	SHZULET Sspeed, body kit, full suspension and torsion bars, new OS twin plate clutch and	Kadena, Okinawa - Parting out an 89 Kawasaki Ninja green blue white in color lots of great parts left call to inquire	Transmission for Skyline GTR. Call 634-6201 or 090-1949-7582.	Courtney - Boat zodiac 6 1/2	maternity clothes (tops, dresses, swimsuits) all in very good/new/-	Printer \$20 works well pur- chased new printer/PSCing call 926 0068 or email eric. roney@kadena.af.mil	bed is too tall for your ch We have one that we us our boys since they were and 1ylo. \$200. Call 633-4
6862-6236; WK 634-6294; 892-8669	s15 injectors, s14 turbine, tuned ECU, green with black roof and		Kadena - WANTED!! 1990	people, has ores, gas can with pump, folds up and has taro to	sack full of them. Some brand	Kadena, Okinawa - Sager Lap-	and 1y/o. \$200. Call 633-6
ena - Black Toyota Celica:	hood \$3,500.00 OBO call 644-4559 or dbpfeffer@hotmail.	Kinser - 2002 883R: Make reasonable Offer, 500 miles orange and black. Email medrepair01@yahoo.com or 637-4471 my stuff gets picked up in 3 weeks to PCS, if no offer	Kadena - WANTED!! 1990 300zx TT rack and pinion needed ASAP!! If you are parting out. Your 1990-93-300zx TT or know where I can get one, Email me at: Aldric.	Courtney - Boat zodiac 6 1/2 toot long holds up to 3 or 4 people, has ores, gas can with pump, folds up and has tarp to cover, 5hp indoor outdoor mo- tor: great condition. asking 1000.00 great for divers. POC David Parks workt 622-9246 or Home 964-2036 Must sell.	maternity clothes (tops, dresses, swimsuits) all in very good/new-like new condition. Garbage sack full of them. Some brand names, some not. Sizes M-XL. Take whole lot for \$35. Andrea & 956 4 3 8 4 or	Kadena, Okinawa - Sager Lap- top: 2.4Ghz Pentlum 4, 256Mb DDR ram, 40GB Hard Drive, CD Burner and Windows XP, \$600.00 OBO. Call Alonzo at	Kadena, Okinawa - En
New JCI, new tires plus to tires Cold A/C. Assino		medrepair01@yahoo.com or 637,4471 my stuff gets sicked	TT or know where I can get one, Email me at: Aldrin	David Parks work# 622-9246 or	bunchairborne e normail.com	Burner and Windows XP. \$600.00 OBO. Call Alonzo at 632-3234.	Cabinet on bottom with s on each side. \$150.00 Call 633-0557.
ena - Black Toyota Celica: Sale: PCS'ing October. Must I New JCI, new tires plus te tires. Cold A/C. Asking 00.00 OBO. Contact Tom- or Christian 633-4294 Chris-	Autos Wanted 156	I will snip with me!!	Corcuera@kadena.af.mil or Call 645-5112		Kadena, Okinawa - Brand new white, volatile brand platform sneakers. Size 8.5 US. \$20. Email tee_n_anna@hotmail.com	Kadena Okinawa - Scanner For	Kadena, Okinawa - En
Clutter@kadena.af.mil	Foster - Wanted: HI_ACE Van in good working condition to seat	Kinser - 2002 HD Sportster Hugger: Excellent condition, kept indoors, new JCI, lots of	Kadana - WANTED: Any and All	Courtney, Okinawa - For sale: 6 to 7 foot zodiac boat great for divers. She mater over our care	Email tee_n_anna@hotmail.com	Sale: UMAX Astra 1220P flat- bed scanner. Comes with driver software, directions, & cables. \$25.00. 633-8329.	Kadena, Okinawa - En ment Center for 27" TV: I condition. Has storage and glass door on side. and Wood. Please get it my house! \$30.00 or reas ofter. Contact Sh 633,679
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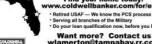
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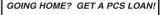
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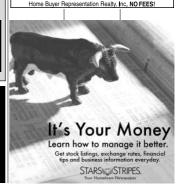


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31	GOLF	•(5:00) Golf Acad- emy Live	•Golf World Match	Play Championship -	- Second Day. From	Surrey, England.			OU.S. Open Golf Highlights	•(:15) Golf World N (Live)	latch Play Champion	ship Semifinals. Fr	om Surrey, England.
32	TLC	While You Were Ou		What Not to Wear ceives a makeover.	"Cynthia" Mother re- (CC)	Trading Spaces Hi room; Edward trans room.	ldi tackles a living forms a master bed-	Trading Spaces "F Florida guest room transformations.	orida: Fairway Road'	In a Fix A husband rate.	won't help redeco-	Trading Spaces Hi room; Edward trans room.	ldi tackles a living forms a master bed-
34	TOON	What's New Scoo- by-Doo?	He-Man and the Masters of the Universe	Scooby and the Re horror when the we	eluctant Werewolf D rewolf drops out of th	racula transforms Sh e annual Transylvani	aggy into a canine a car race.	Scooby-Doo, Where Are You!	Scooby-Doo, Where Are You!	Cartoon Cartoon (Cartoon shorts.	Flintstones	The Jetsons
35	ANPL	Austin Stevens: Sr Search of the Giant green anaconda. (C	Anaconda" The C)	Venom ER An unus snakebite damages gans and muscles.	a man's internal or- (CC)			et operators drain wil		horrors of illegal do	icy river; the hidden gfighting.	(CC)	wildlife resources.
36	сом	Mad TV Talk show h meets his biggest fa	nost Donny Osmond an. (CC)	Mad TV "No Sweat" Birds & the Bees." (CC)	Last Comic Standi the funniest comic.	ing Viewers vote for (CC)	Comedy Central Presents "Wanda Sykes-Hall" (CC)	Premium Blend Featuring Owen Smith. (CC)	Chappelle's Show Eddie Griffin. (CC)	Chappelle's Show Blind white su- premacist. (CC)	Crank Yankers Lu- dacris; Wanda Sykes. (CC)	Crank Yankers (CC)
40	NGC-A	Wildlife Diary	Crittercam: WildTech Adven- tures "Nurse Sharks"	Baby-Faced Assas	ssins	King Rattler		Vampire From the ies of the vampire s	Abyss The myster- quid.	r- Sea Monsters: In Search of the Giar Squid		tigers across Asia.	
42	SPIKE	(4:00) "For a Few Dollars More"	Real TV	World's Wildest Po		World's Wildest Po		World's Wildest Po		World's Wildest Po		WWE Velocity Sc Dupree and Kenzo	Suzuki see action.
43	FOX	Stargate SG-1 "Hor lays siege to Jonas' ening to enslave its	home planet, threat- people. (N)		Darien is called in to ve a kidnapped busi-	Cops The scene of a restaurant shoot- ing. (CC)	suspected Fla. drug dealer. (CC)	America's Most Wa	,	spying. (CC)	rtini Shot' The team rmodels engaged in		(CC)
44	BET	106 & Park: BET's			BET.com Count- down	Music Special	How I'm Living	Classic ComicView		Comicview		Keitel, John Turturro	
46	COURT	I, Detective "Only Witness" Rabbinical student slain.	I, Detective Murder suspected at crash scene.	Cops (CC)	Cops San Bernardino, Calif., robbery call. (CC)	Forensic Files Dead coed found by road.	Forensic Files Tire tracks clue to death.	Psychic Detec- tives 'Buttermilk Falls'	Body of Evidence: From the Case Files	The Investigators of dered A medical ex suddenly.	What the Doctor Or- aminer's wife dies	Hollywood Justice	Hollywood Justice
48	STR-WLD	Roswell (CC)	•	Dark Angel (CC)		 Wrestling 		Mutant X (CC)		Coupling (CC)	The Office (CC)	Cops (CC)	Baywatch Hawaii (CC)
50	LIFE	(3:00) ** "Bella N Vanessa Redgrave, tassja Kinski. (CC)	lafia" (1997, Drama) Dennis Farina, Nas-	**** "GoodFella family. (CC)	as" (1990, Drama) Ro	bert De Niro, Ray L	iotta, Joe Pesci. An a	ccount of a hood's te	nure in a mob crime	Missing "Pop Star S appears. (N) (CC)	Story" A pop star dis-	What Should You I	Do? (N) (CC)
51	ABCFAM	Smallville "Red" Cli kryptonite's evil pow	ark discovers red er over him. (CC)	Smallville "Whisper ly blinded but develon (CC)	r" Clark is temporari- ops superhearing.	Smallville Backsta	ge Special (N) (CC)	Smallville "Covena with superpowers tr fulfill his destiny. (Cl	es to entice Clark to	Whose Line Is It Anyway? "Let's Make a Date."	Whose Line Is It Anyway? "Sound Effects." (CC)	3rd Rock From the Sun Dick dons a dress.	3rd Rock From the Sun A search for ethnicity. (CC)
53	HIST	Toolbox "Handsaw" A handsaw from the past.	'Guts & Bolts 'Glass' One-way bullet-proof glass.	Bible Code II: Apo yond Military and in tions search for the	ntelligence organiza-	* * * "The Tuskeg Malcolm-Jamal War II. (CC)	ee Airmen" (1995, E ner. An all-black squi	Orama) Laurence Fist adron of fighter pilots	serves in World War	together the puzzler	to investigate plane behind the twisted in	crashes and piece metal. (CC)	Vanishings! Navy blimp's crew disap- pears. (CC)
57	STR-MV	(5:15) *** "Ice Age" (2002) John Leguizamo	(:40) * * "Phone Kiefer Sutherland, F gant publicist in a pt	Booth" (2002, Susp forest Whitaker. A sni hone booth.	ense) Colin Farrell, iper traps an arro-	The Grid American thwart a ferocious to	and British agents te errorist cell. (CC)	eam up to try to	(:35) * * * "Starsh Meyer, Denise Rich	ip Troopers" (1997, ards. Young soldiers	Science Fiction) Cas battle a vicious army	sper Van Dien, Dina of gigantic bugs.	(:45) * "Original Sin" (2001) Anto- nio Banderas.
58	ADV 1	(5:30) Going to Extremes: Dry		A pilot tries to be the he continents in a	•Surfer's Journal	Cracking the Canyon	Shark Feeders	Total Adventure Alaska's Pacific coast.	Total Adventure "Kayaking Peru" Rio Cotahuasi.	Chasing Time "Barcelona" Austra- lian couple.	Ice in Iceland		The Jungle Navy
59	мту	True Life	, Joe angus panto	True Life	•	True Life	•	True Life		True Life	•	The Real World Willie finds an old flame. (CC)	The Real World The police search Karamo. (CC)
60	NICK	SpongeBob SquarePants (CC)	Invader Zim	Tomato Twins	Action League Now	WOW Weekend Ma	arathon: Rugrats An	gelica Episodes of p	opular programming.	The Amanda Show	SpongeBob SquarePants (CC)	The Wild Thorn- berrys (CC)	Hey Arnold! (CC)

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Evening 7:00 2006 FIFA World Cup Soccer: Eu-ropean Preliminary: Lithuania vs. Spain 9:00 NFL Weekly 9:50 Rail Away 11:50 CNN News 12:00 MotoGP: 14th Round, Malaysia CD

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1:25 NFL Weekly
1:45 PGA Golf: Administaff Small
Business Classic, Final Round
3:05 What's On Asia
3:30 What's On Japan

4:15 Weekend Japanology 5:00 PGA Golf: Chrysler Classic of Greensboro, 3rd Round

JAPAN TV-BS11 Morning 8:05 Carto

Afternoon 3:00 U.S. Movie (1998): Patch Adams (2:00)

Evening 7:00 NHK News 7:30 Simon and Garfunkel Live in Central Park 1:10 Belgium-French-Dutch Movie (2000): | Edereen Beroemd! (1:40)

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6:10 U.S. Fritish Mowle (2002): Possession (147)
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3:30 (130) 5.30 U.S. Movie (2002): Showtin (1:40) 5:10 U.S. Movie (2002): I Spy (1:40) **Evening**

8:00 U.S. Moyle (2002): The Adventures of Pluto Nash (1:42) 9:50 U.S. Moyle (2002): The Kid Stays in the Picture (1:40) 1:200 TV Series: Friends the Final 12:25 TV Series: Sex and the City 3:20 U.S. Moyle (2002): Swimfan 4:55 Spanish Soccer Liga Española

MTV

Morning 6:00 Wake Up 8:00 Classic '90s 9:00 Top Choice 10:00 Pure Music 11:00 Top Choice: murmur

Afternoon
12:00 Check the Rhyme
12:30 The Osbournes
12:00 World Chart Express Supported
by Honda
3:00 Newlyweds: Nick & Joe
3:30 Screen: Music Video Selection

4:00 I-Catch Saturday
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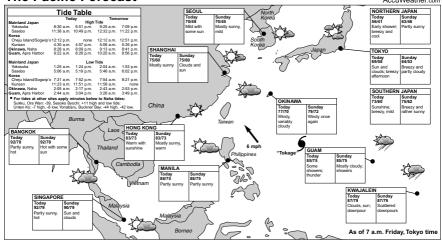
RADIO SPORTS

SATURDAY

Morning 9:00 MLB: ALCS Game 3 — New York Yankees at Boston Red Sox Yanke Morning 5:00 MLB: NLCS Game 3 — St. Louis Cardinals at Houston Astros

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Extended Forecasts

Monday: Partly sunny, high 64, low 58. Tuesday: Rain high 71 low 64

KADENA Monday: Showers,

high 81, low 74. Tuesday: Partly sunny, high 81, low 72,

Monday: Periods of clouds and

high 68, low 45. Tuesday: Periods of clouds and sunshine, high 69, low 49.

MANILA

Monday: Partly sunny, high 88, low 75. Tuesday: Partly sunny, high 88, low 75.

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Monday: Showers, high 87, low 77. Tuesday: Showers, high 87, low 77,

Thursday's USA Temperatures

CITY	HIGH/I OW	CITY	HIGH/I OW
Albuquerque	63/44	Los Angeles	88/60
Amarillo	69/47	Little Rock	57/42
	51/36	Little Rock	60/48
Anchorage			
Asheville	66/46	Miami	87/75
Baltimore	65/52	Milwaukee	56/43
Birmingham	70/46	Nashville	63/45
Bismarck	65/35	New York	62/56
Boise	76/46	Omaha	54/36
Boston	62/55	Orlando	84/68
Brownsville	81/60	Philadelphia	64/56
Buffalo	58/52	Phoenix	92/66
Burlington	67/51	Pittsburgh	58/52
Charleston, S	C 78/60	Portland, OR	79/52
Charlotte	73/54	Portland, ME	61/51
Cleveland	63/48	Salt Lake City	70/46
Columbus, Oh	66/46	St. Louis	51/41
Duluth	44/35	San Antonio	75/50
El Paso	69/48	San Diego	82/61
Hartford	59/48	San Juan	92/76
Helena	71/45	Tampa	84/71
Indianapolis	58/44	Tulsa	59/48
Jacksonville	82/62	Washington	68/56
Kansas City	53/40	Wichita	62/47



U.S. Extended Forecast

A cloudy and windy day is in store for the Northeast Saturday as the region persists between two storm systems. The first system, a cold front pro-gressing off-shore, will bring morning rain to northern New England. The second system, a cold front, will push through the Ohio River Valley and into the Northeast triggering a few showers. The associated low pressure area will enread chowers across northern Michigan and some snow flurries in Minnesota. Behind this system, cold air from Canada will cause temperatures to plummet across the Upper Midwest. Another storm system over Montana will bring rain to parts of the northern Rockies with showers extending into the Northwest.

Saturday's Pacific Temperatures

Saturday's World Temperatures

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Saturday

AFN-Sports, 9 a.m. — College football: Texas Christian at Alabama-Birmingham. AFN-Pacific/Korea, AFN-Radio, 9 a.m. — Baseball: AL Championship Series, N.Y. Yankees at Boston, Game 3.

AFN-Atlantic, 9 a.m. — Auto racing:
NASCAR Busch Grand National The Sponge NASCAR Busch Grand Waster St. Bob SquarePants Movie 300, AFN-Sports, 4 p.m. — Baseball: AL Championship Series, N.Y. Yankees at Boston, Game

AFN-Sports, 11:30 p.m. — College football: ESPN GameDay.

Sunday AFN-Atlantic, 1 a.m. - College football: Oklahoma at Kansas State.

AFN-Pacific/Korea, AFN-Radio — College football: Notre Dame vs. Navy at Landovér. Idottalia: Notice baine vs. way at another.

AFN-Sports, 1 a.m. — College football:
AFN-Pacific/Kores, 4:30 a.m. — College
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AFX-Sports, 4:30 a. AFN-Atlantic, AFN-Radio, 5 a.m. — Base-all: NL Championship Series, St. Louis at louston, Game 3. bolliston, Gamed 3.

ARN-Pacific Korea, 8. a.m. — Auto racing:
NASCAR Nextel Cup UAW-GM Quality 500.
ARN-Sports, ARN-Radio, 8:20 a.m. — Base-ball: AL Champlonship Series, N.Y. Yankees at Boston, Game 4.

ARN-Sports, 11:30 a.m. — College football: Tennessee at Mississippi (joined in

progress).

AFN-Sports, 1 p.m. – NBA preseason: Sacramento vs. Houston at Beijing, China.

AFN-Sports, 4:30 p.m. – Baseball: NL Championship Series, St. Louis at Houston, Game

(dld). **AFN-Atlantic, 8 p.m.** — College football: Vir-nia at Florida State (dld). AFN-Sports, 8:39 p.m. — College football: Vir-ginia at Florida State (did). AFN-Sports, 8:39 p.m. — College football: Wisconsin at Purdue (did). AFN-Sports, midnight — NFL: ESPN Sunday Countdown.

Monday

AFN-Atlantic, 1 a.m. - NFL: CBS The NFL Today. AFN-Pacific/Korea, 1 a.m. — NFL: FOX NFL Sunday AFN-Atlantic, 2 a.m. — NFL: San Diego at Atnta. AFN-Pacific/Korea, 2 a.m. — NFL: Seattle at ew England. AFN-Radio, 2 a.m. — Pro football: Green lay vs. Detroit. **AFN-Sports. 2 a.m.** — NFL: Carolina at Phila-

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Open: Indianapolis, Arizona, N.Y. Giants, Baltimore

Monday's game Tampa Bay at St. Louis

NFL injury report

NEW YORK — The National Football League injury report, as provided by the

PHIA EAGLES (4-0) — Panthers: OUT: RB De-Shaun Foster, (shoulder); CB William Hamp-Rod Smart (knee): WR Steve Smith (ankle), QUESTIONABLE: DT Brentson Buckner (knee): RB Stephen Davis (knee): LB Mark Fields (back); DT Omari Jordan (ankle), PROBABLE: LB Vinny Clurcul (knee): WR Karl PROBABLE: L8 Vinny Ciurciu (Gnee); WR Kait Hankton (hamstring); DT Kindal Moorehead (knee), Eagless DOUBTFUL: CB Dexter Wynn (hamstring), PROBABLE: G Jermane Mayber-(hamstring), PROBABLE: G Jermane Mayber-yan (arm); CB Lito Sheppard (thumb); LB Jason Short (ankle); TE LJ: Smith (shoulder), CINCINNATI BENGALS (1-3) AT CLEVELAND BROWNS (2-3) — Bengals: OUT: CB Rashad

BROWNE (2-3) — Bassad - 1 Lev VELAM (1988) A Bashad Bauman (Achilles) - Roberts Beef Rashad Cussion). DOUBTFUL WM Peter Warrick (shin). QUESTIONABLE: C Rich Braham (nace); S kim Herring (foot); S Kevin Kaesvin Harring (back); DE Carl Powel (knee). PROBABLE: DT Matthias Askew (knee); DE Duane Clemons (Dectoral); BE Reggle Myles Clemons (pectoral): CB Reggle Myles (groin). Browns: DOUBTFUL: LB Barry Gard-ner (groin). QUESTIONABLE: T Ryan Tucker (quadricep): DT Gerard Warren (pectoral). DENVER BRONCOS (4-1) AT OAKLAND RAID-

DENVER IRONCOS (4-1) AT OAKLAND RAID-ERS (2-3) — Broncos OUT: DE Trevor Pryce (back), QUESTIONABLE: LB Patrick Chuk-wurah (quadricep); CB Willie Middlebrooks wurah (quadricep); CB Willie Middlebrooks (finger); RB Quentin criffin (ankle); DT Mon-santo Pope (wrist); CB Lenny Walls (shoul-der), Raidless OUT; QB Rich Gannon (neck). Stone (done); RB Typone Whestley; (shoul-der); LB Sam Williams (shoulder), QUESTION-ABLE: RB JUSTION Fargas (too-fleg).

GREEN BAY PACKERS (1-4) AT DETROIT HONS (3-1) — Packers: OUT: DT Grady Jack-

Calico (knee); TE Erron Kinney (calf); S Lance Schulters (foot), QUESTIONABLE: LB Rocky Boiman (knee); RB Chris Brown (ankle); LB Rocky Calmus (back); DT Albert Haynesworth (ankle); WR Derrick Mason (ankle); Genii Olean (merch); Destanting (ankle); G Benji Olson (groin); LB Robert Rey-nolds (hip); CB Samari Rolle (ribs); DE Juqua Thomas (ankle).

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KANSAS CITY CHIEFS (1-3) AT JACKSONWILLE JAGUARS (3-2) — Chiefs: OUI: TE Kris
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Wilson (1-3) — Chiefs: Oui: Te Priest Holmes (elipow); WN Educe Nethaland (hamstring): DE Jimmy Wilkerson (knee). Jaguars: QUESTIONABLE: DE Lionel Barnes (shoulder): S Donovin Darius (ankle); RB LaB-randon Toefield (knee). PROBABLE: TE Kyle Brady (finger): RB Greg Jones (abdomen); TE Canno Wrighster (hack).

Brady (Inger): RB Greg Jones (abdomen): TE

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tooty: Jonas Jennings (ankle): S Lawyer Milloy (forearm): S Coy Wire (thigh). PITSBURGH STEELERS (4-1) AT DALLAS COWBOYS (2-2) - Steelers (UT: LB Kendreil Bell (groin): S Mike Logan (hamstring): QB Tommy Maddox (right elbow). PROBABLE: C Jeff Hartings (knee); RB Duce Staley (groin): CB Deshea Townsend (Achilles). Cowbovs: Jeff Harfungs (kneef; RB Duce Staley (groun); CD peaches (normsen) dAchilles; Cowboys: CD peaches (normsen) dAchilles; Cowboys: SAN DIEGO (CHARGERS; CD-2) AT ATLANTA (LB CHARGER); CD-2) CD-2, CD-2,

Brooking (hamstring).

SAN FRANCISCO 49ERS (1-4) AT NEW YORK

JETS (4-0) — 49ers: OUT: DE Andre Carter

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OUFSTIONABLE: WR Santana Moss (ham string). PROBABLE: LB Eric Barton (ankle).
SEATTLE SEAHAWKS (3-1) AT NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS (4-0) — Seahawks: OUT: LE Chad Brown (fibula), QUESTIONABLE: P Tom Rouen (right hamstring); DT Cedric Woo-dard (toe), PROBABLE: S Ken Hamlin (toe); uaru (toe), PROBABLE: S Ken Hamlin (toe); LB Anthony Simmons (shoulder), Patriots: DOUBTFUL: WR Deion Branch (knee), QUES-TIONABLE WR Troy Brown (shoulder); RB Corey Dillon (foot), PROBABLE: QB Tom Brady (right shoulder); QB Jim Miller (right shoulder).

WASHINGTON REDSKINS (1-4) AT CHICAGO BEARS (1-3) — Redskins Oll To De District BEARS (113) — Redeblins: CUT, CE Phillips
Joinels (grin), DOUBTFUL: Bilk Milke Barrow
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(arikle); S Andre Lott (hamstring); RB Chala
(arikle); S Andre Lott (hamstring); RB Ch

LB Brian Urlacher (hamstring).

MINNESOTA VIKINGS (3-1) AT NEW ORLEANS SAINTS (2-3) — Vikings: OUT: RB LEANS SAINTS (2-3) - Vikings: OUT: RB Michael Bennett (knee): WR Keenan Hown Shoulder): C Cory Withrow (knee): DSTON-BBLE: TE Jermine Wigner (and): PROBA-BBLE: S Braissell (Wigner (and): PROBA-BBLE: S Br man Gardner (ankle); CB Mike McKenzie (hamstring); LB Courtney Watson (knee). PROBABLE: RB Deuce McAllister (ankle): LB

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Elena Bovina aind Nadia Petrova, Russia, der Lisa McShea, Australia, and, Asa Svens-son, 6:0,6. Lisa McShea, Australia, and, Asa Svens-son, 6:0,6. Lisa Negaria, and Paola Suarez, Argentina, (1), def. Annastassia Rodi-onova and Dinara Safina, Russia, 6:2,7-5:(5). Elena Dengeriteva, Russia, and Al Sugiya. Blena Dengeriteva, Russia, and Al Sugiya. Annastasia Myskina, and Vera Zvonareva, Russia, (4), def. Janette Husarova, Slovakia, and Magdalena Maleeva, Bulgaria, 6-1, 6-4.

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Jerome Haehnel, France, def. Marc Gic-quel, France, 6-4, 6-2. Ivan Ljubicic (1), Croatia, def. Raemon Slu-tter, Netherlands, 4-6, 6-3, 7-6 (4). Richard Gasquet, France, def. Antony Du-puis, France, 6-3, 4-6, 7-6.5. Arnaud Clement, France, def. Olivier Mutis, France, 7-6 (4), 6-1.

Tashkent Open At Dynamo Tennis Club Tashkent, Uzbekistan Purse: \$140,000 (Tier IV) Surface: Hard-Outdoor Singles Second Round

Second Round
Meghann Shaughnessy (2), United States,
def. Yulia Beygelzimer, Ukraine, 6-1, 6-1.
Virginie Razzano (9), France, def. Maria
Goloviznina, Russia, walkover,
Olga Savchuk, Ukraine, def. Evgenia Linetskaya, Russia, 3-6, 6-0, 6-4.
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High school sports

Korea

Girls volleyball
Wednesday's summaries
Seoul Foreign def. Seoul American 25-13,
25-19, 17-25, 23-5, 15-8
At Yonesan Continue Seoul American 25-13 25-19, 17-25, 23-25, 15-8 At Yongsan Garrison, South Korea Spike Kills-Seoul Foreign, Hannah Linton 16 in 37 attempts, Kristen Barennes 8-for-28, Kathleen Barennes 7-for-21, Stefanie Choi 6-for-27. Spring-Sea (Trees), Stefanic Chol.
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Wednesday's summary
Taegu American def. Pusan American
22-25, 25-21, 25-12, 25-19
At Camp Walker, South Korea
Spike kills-Taegu, Aaron Dick 14, Duri Balat
9, Serving-Taegu, David Arocho 18-for-18.
Block points-Taegu, Duri Balat 7, Daniel
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Brooks 4. Tennis
Tennis
At Yongsan Garrison, South Korea
Girls
Seoul American 3. Singles
Angela Kannik, Seoul A., def. Michelle Lee
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8-1 Leah Yi, Seoul A., def. Sarah Kwon 8-2 Sophia Yi, Seoul F., def. Hannah Kim 8-2 Sophia Yi, Seoul F., def. Hannah Kim 8-2 Jackie McGinn and Lisa Choi, Seoul American, def. Sehhyun Lee and Katie Moon 8-0 Minsu Han and Irene Oh, Seoul Foreign, def. Esther Kim and Anne Willie 8-4

Deals

Wednesday's transactions

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CLEVELAND INDIANS — Purchased the conact of LHP Scott Sauerbeck from Buffalo of

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CANON MUTTAY elected free agency.

Fired Dave Grosschiner, head trainer, and

Sandy Krum, assistant trainer, and CINCINNATI REDS—Called up RHP Todd offey and LHP Brian Shackelford from Lou-sville of the IL.

leville of the II.

NEW YORK METS—Announced Bobby Floyd, bench coach, and Nelson Silverio, bull-per coach, will be reassigned within the organization. Announced Scott Lawrencom Calarite, third base and infield coach, and Gary Pettis, first base and outfield coach, will not return.

FOOTBALL
National Football League
BUFFALO BILLS—Released WR Bobby Shaw.
CAROLINA PANTHERS—Signed RB Joey Har-is and DT Jordan Carstens from the practice quad. Signed DT Tron LaFavor and RB berck Knight to the practice squad.

DALLAS COWBOYS—Released TE Mikhael Ricks. Signed LB Ryan Fowler from the prac-tice squad. Signed TE Landon Trusty to the practice squad. practice squad.

INDIANAPOLIS COLTS—Signed QB Travis
Brown to the practice squad. Released QB
Joe Hamilton from the practice squad.

KANSAS CITY CHIEFS—Signed P Steve
Cheek from the practice squad. Signed G
Matt Miller to the practice squad.

Matt Miller to the practice squad.
MIAMI DOLPHINS—Signed K Matt Bryant,
MINNESOTA VIKINGS—Released GB Rushen Jones. Signed C Billy Conaty and CB Derek
Ross. Placed WR Keenan Howry on Injured
reserve. Signed WR Aron HoSack and LB
Max Yates to the practice squad.
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RACING STRIPES

Only the good drive young

Car owner's signing of high school freshman raises questions within stock-car community

The Associated Press

KANSAS CITY, Kan. - Next October, Chase Austin will finally be old enough to drive to the grocery store by himself.

By then, though, he'll also have a full season of stock-car racing under his helt

When Hendrick Motorsports signed the 15-year-old high school freshman from Eudora. Kan., to a developmental contract last week, it raised the question: How young is too young?

"All I know when I think back is that I wasn't ready to be signed even at 18," said 22-year-old Blake Feese, another of Hendrick's developmental drivers. "So much has changed over the years in terms of how I've progressed.

Austin doesn't seem intimidated, although he acknowledges his is an unusual situation.

"I can see where people are coming from," he said. "Sometimes I've thought I'm too young. because there's so much involved with this. But if I saw some other 15-year-old have this chance, I'd want it, too.

J.D. Gibbs, president of Joe Gibbs Racing, also doesn't have a problem with Austin's age.

"I don't think it's a big deal," said Gibbs, whose team's developmental drivers are both in their early 20s. "I don't think everyone's going to rush out and sign a

How young is too young?

Who is Chase Austin? A 15-year-old race driver signed by Hendrick Motorsports. His caree is already drawing comparisons to that of the young Jeff Gordon.

What's next for him? A full sea son of racing in the American Speed Association's Late Model Series, where qualifying speeds are close to 100 mph.

Is he too young? Austin acknowledges it might seem that way, but says he wants the ance. Motorsports insiders say he has the talent

Big picture: Austin is young. and a minority. That has helped golf and tennis pull in more fans, too. (Think Tiger Woods and the Williams sisters).

- The Associated Press

15-year-old unless he's pretty darn good."

And if Austin proves himself on the track. Gibbs said, his age won't matter to anyone. The exception would be NASCAR which won't let a driver race on its top three circuits — Nextel Cup, the Busch Series and the Craftsman Truck — until age 18.

"If you go out there and show you're competent, there shouldn't be a problem," Gibbs said. "If you go out there and cause a bunch of issues, that's one thing. But that has nothing to do with age. There's 40-year-old guys who

Austin does have an impressive racing résumé that invites comparisons to the early years of Jeff Gordon's career

Austin started racing go-karts when he was 8 - and by 13, just like Gordon, was competing in

full-size sprint cars. He has run 44 Pretty soon, we'll see kids in diapers and it'll be, 'He waddles well. Let's get him.' 77

> Marianne Austin Mother of 15-year-old stock-car racer Chase Austin

> > Ryan Newman over the final stretch to win the UAW-GM Quality 500.

modifieds and late models on dirt tracks, has experience on paved tracks in the late model division and in his first year of Topless Outlaw Racing Association competition finished 11th in points and was the top rookie.

And he's a sports marketer's dream. He's good-looking, personable, talented - and biracial, the son of a black father and a white mother.

For auto racing, still searching for a way to bring more minorities into its fan base, that makes Austin an appealing combination

of Gordon and Tiger Woods. "I do think he's got a lot of natural outstanding talent," said H.A. "Humpy" Wheeler, president of Lowe's Motor Speedway.

"He's the best black American I've seen in a race car. I'm glad Rick [Hendrick] has done this because Rick will be able to put the kind of equipment under him that

he needs to reach his potential. "We can do all advertising we can do reaching out to African American fans," Wheeler said. "But when we have one that starts winning, that's what's going

to break it wide open.

lack of talent, kept Maurice Clarett from jumping to the NFL after his freshman year at Ohio State. And earlier this year, Freddy Adu made his highly anticipated Major League Soccer debut — at Then again, they don't climb

straight from high school to the

NBA for years. The courts, not a

Players have been

into high-horsepower machines and tear around tracks at almost 100 mph. That's how high qualifying speeds can run in the Ameri-Speed Association's Late Model Series, where Austin will

compete next year for SS Racing. But there's precedent for other young drivers doing well not only on short tracks, but on superspeedways.

There's Gordon, of course, who broke into Cup competition at 21 and won his first championship at "The theory prior to Jeff Gor-

Chase Austin. already an up-andcoming racer at the age of 15, was recently signed by NASCAR team owner Richard Hendrick's driver development program for next season. Austin, who just celebrated a birthday last week has been a standout in go-kart, micro sprint, full-sized sprint and late model stock car racing.

don is that nobody started winning major long-distance races in the U.S., whether that was in Winston Cup or the IRL, until they were about 28," Wheeler said "Jeff Gordon came along and

shot that theory down. "That perpetuated what I call Pop Warner Racing, Now a few years after him, you've got all

these kids racing. Shelby Howard became AR-CA's youngest race winner at age 16 in 2002. Last year, at 17, he became the voungest driver to win

on a big track in any circuit. "Ultimately, the great thing about sports racing is that either you're good or you're not," Gibbs said. "I think Rick saw a good opportunity to partner up with a good talent for the future."

Austin's mother, Marianne, made light of the debate over her son's age.

"Pretty soon, we'll see kids in diapers and it'll be, 'He waddles well. Let's get him,' " she said.

NASCAR NEXTEL CUP

Race 31: UAW/GM Quality 500, 8 a.m. Sunday, AFN-Pacific/Korea Last race: Pole-sitter Joe Nemechek com Last year: Tony Stewart chased down

pleted the sweep at Kansas Speedway with his win in the Banquet 400.







Jimmie Johnson 187,052 mph. Nevtel Cun race record

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(LIVe, 9 a.m. Saturday, AFN-Atlantic). Last race: Joe Nemechek held off Greg Biffle by .041 of a second to win the Mr. Goodcents .000 at Kansas Speedway. Last year: Greg Biffle began an Description of the control with the the season's largest margin of victory, 12.628 seconds. The race was post-poned one day because of rain, causing it to start eight hours before the Nextel Next race: Sam's Town 250, Oct. 23,

BUSCH SERIES

FORMULA ONE

Next race: Brazilian Grand Prix, Oct. 24, Sao Paulo. INDY RACING

This week: Chevy 500 at Fort Worth, Texas (Tape-delayed, 4:30 a.m. Monday, AFN-Sports).

onds behind Adrian Fernandez, who claimed his second straight victory and third in five races.

Last year: A terrifying crash that left Kenny Brack badly injured ended the season-finale Chevy 500 five laps early, sending Gil de Ferran to victory lane. sending Gil de Ferran to victory rame in his last career start and giving run ner-up Scott Dixon the series champion CRAFTSMAN TRUCK

Last race: Silverado 350K at Fort

orth, Teas (Table Style in the American Racing
Oct. 2.
Last year: Brendan Gaughan came
from the back of the pack and won the
Silverado 350, becoming the lirst truck
driver to win four straight races at the

ame track. **Next race:** Kroger 200, Oct. 23, Martins-

Last race: Sebastien Bourdais held off Rewman-Haas teammate Bruno Jun-juliera in a side-by-side battle to win he Las Vegas 400 rb his skirt victory of 2004. Bourdais won by 0.065 seconds, he sixth-closest finish since 1979. Next race: Oct. 24, Surfer's Paradise, Justralia.

From wire reports

ALAMEDA, Calif. - Wide receiver Jerry Rice met with Oakland Raiders managing general partner Al Davis on Wednesday

to discuss a situation that Rice deems beyond

briefs repair. "I told him that it doesn't look like this is going to work out,

Rice said as he exited his late afternoon meeting with Davis. "And then we talked football."

This came well after Rice drew a crowd of media around his locker, there to do more than wish

him a happy 42nd birthday. Rice said he is prepared to move on with his career, though he admits a trade before Tuesday's league deadline is not imminent. He said that he did not ask to be traded during his meeting with Davis and is unsure how the situation is going to play out.

Raiders coach Nory Turner said: "He's expressed to us his wishes, and we'll see what hap-

Rice made it clear that he likes

being a Raider but that being a bigger part of the offense means more to him

"I'm not trying to force any thing," Rice said. "But it doesn't make any sense for me to stay here if things keep going the way they've been. It's not up to me. If I

did that, I'd be running the team." Rice has averaged one catch per game this season. In two of the Raiders' five games, he hasn't caught a pass. The first time ended his 274-game streak of

catching at least one pass. Rice said on a Sacramento radio station Tuesday that Turner and then-quarterback Rich Gannon disrespected him by saying they were unaware of his streak

being in jeopardy. Rice also said that he was misled into thinking he would be a bigger part of Oakland's offense

Browns' war of words:

this season.

Garcia and Davis debate BEREA, Ohio - Cleveland Browns quarterback Jeff Garcia took exception on Wednesday to a comment coach Butch Davis

made two days earlier when he described Garcia as being "skittish" during a 34-23 loss at Pitts-

burgh last weekend. "I don't have a reaction to that." Garcia said when asked how he felt about Davis' characterization. "Until he plays the quarterback nosition then he can understand

where I am coming from." Based on his salty delivery, Garcia meant to say "can't under stand." But it's not the first mixed message coming out of team headquarters as the Browns (2-3) try to salvage a season that's showing signs of slipping away.

Cleveland's offense enters this week's game against Cincinnati ranked 30th in the NFL.

On Monday, Davis said Garcia. who has been sacked 13 times this season and was running from Pittsburgh's blitz on just about every snap, needed to trust his protection.

"The quarterback has to have confidence that the last time he got hit was an aberration " Davis said. "He can't be skittish. He has to sit in the pocket and make

Following Wednesday's prac-

tice. Davis was told that Garcia didn't seem happy about the "skittish" comment.

"He probably shouldn't have been." Davis said. "That's one of those things where the media takes one word out of 12 paragraphs and paraphrases it when it is taken out of context. Jeff and talked about it and laughed

Johnson's joke not funny to all Browns

BEREA, Ohio - Pink has become the trendy color for some of the Cleveland Browns this week.

Bengals wide receiver Chad Johnson has stained this week's Cincinnati-Cleveland game a milky hue of pink by sending the Browns' four starting defensive backs a package that included a bottle of medicine to settle an upset stomach.

"I think it's hilarious," safety Chris Crocker said. "That's some good trash talking."

Kenard Lang isn't laughing. "What's he trying to say, that he's going to make us sick?" Lang said. "He's going to send up

NFL injury update

Injuries to prominent NFL players, fol-lowed by team's prognosis for upcom-ing game. (See Page 32 for complete inju-ry report provided by the league): Bears: LB Brian Urlacher (hamstring) norphable

Succaneers: QB Chris Simms (sh

ionable.

Seahlawks: P Tom Rouen (strained Beahlawks: P Tom Rouen (strained hamstring) questionable.

Texans: QB David Carr (ankle) probable: WR Andre Johnson (ankle) probable: QT Todd Wade (ankle) doubtful.

Vikings: WR/KR Keenan Howry (shoulder) out for season: C Matt Birk (ankle) probable: LB Chris Claiborne (caif) probable: LB Chris Claiborne (caif) probable: LB Chris Claiborne (out)

Pento-Bismol and then go out and kick our butt? That ain't happening.

Johnson sent the bottles attached with a handwritten note to Daylon McCutcheon, Earl Little, Robert Griffith and Anthony Henry.

Johnson wrote: "Hope adds some color and relief to your week," and personally signed each note.

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Bryant downplays Jackson's criticism

SAN DIEGO - Kobe Bryant is shrugging off criticism of him by former Los Angeles Lakers coach Phil Jackson "He's just trying to sell books. I'll just leave it at that," Bryant said Wednesday



at the Lakers' train ing camp at the University of San Diego. "I wish him the best whatever he's

doing now. I have responsibilities here, and that's what I have to take care of That's it.

The diary of the 2003-04 season, titled "The Last Season: A Team in Search of Its Soul," Jackson said he no longer wanted to coach Bryant.

The book will be released this month, but an excerpt will be published in next week's issue of Los Angeles magazine. The Los Angeles Times printed excerpts from the magazine article on Tuesday.

Jackson wrote that he became so frustrated with Bryant that he told General Manager Mitch Kupchak in January: "I won't coach this team next year if he is still here. He won't listen to anyone. I've had it with this kid.

Furcal gets concurrent sentence for second DUI

ATLANTA - Atlanta Braves shortstop Rafael Furcal, who is serving a 21-day jail sentence for being arrested on probation, pleaded guilty Thursday to his second drunken-driving

Furcal's latest sentence will run concurrently with the remaining 19 days of entered jail Tuesday, the day after the Braves were eliminated

After his release from jail Nov. 1. Furcal also must enter in-house alcohol treatment, serve about 10 months of probation, complete 240 hours of community service and attend a 20-hour course

about drunken driving The judge ruled Furcal can return home to the Dominican Republic from Dec. 24-Jan. 2 to renew his passport.

Furcal, 26, was arrested Sept. 10 in Atlanta and charged with driving under the influence, his second such offense in four years. He had faced three days to a year in jail

"Everything went about as well as we could expect," Furcal's lawyer, William Head, said. "From the start, we were trying to get him a package deal."

Kennedy will have surgery Friday

ANAHEIM, Calif. - Anaheim Angels second baseman Adam Kennedy will undergo surgery Friday to repair torn ligaments in his right knee, leaving his status for spring training in question Kennedy has a complete tear of the an-

terior cruciate ligament and a partial tear of the medical collateral ligament. He was injured fielding a grounder against Seattle on Sept. 20.

The Angels said if Kennedy needed

surgery, his rehabilitation could extend into spring training.

Kennedy, 28, was the MVP of the 2002 ALCS with three home runs in the clinching game against the Minnesota Twins. He batted .278 in 144 games this season with 10 homers and 48 RBIs. He also had a 54-game errorless streak

VIRGINIA WATER, England - U.S. Open champion Retief Goosen was the only winner on a rainy opening day of the World Match Play Championship at Wentworth on Thursday, beating Jeff Maggert by a record 12 and 11.

Goosen's margin of victory exceeded the mark in the 36-hole matches of 11 and 10, when Mark O'Meara beat Vijay Singh in the second round in 1998.

Because of a 21/mhour rain delay seven of the eight matches were sus pended by darkness. Among those with incomplete matches were defending champion Ernie Els, who leads Scotand's Scott Drummond 2-up with two holes to play

Top-ranked Singh trailed European Ryder Cup captain Bernhard Langer by two holes after 26, while England's Lee Westwood led British Open champion Todd Hamilton of the United States 3-up after 29 holes and Argentina's Angel Cabrera led K.J. Choi of South Korea 1-up after 33.

Three matches were all square: Ire-land's Padraig Harrington against American Chris Riley after 32, Canadian Mike Weir and Frenchman Thomas Levet after 32 and Spain's Miguel Jimenez against Steve Flesch of the United States after 26.

Williams gets title shot vs. Klitschko

LONDON - Danny Williams has earned a heavyweight title shot nearly three months after derailing Mike Tyson's comeback.

Williams will fight World Boxing Council champion Vitali Klitschko in New York on Dec. 11.

U.S. blows out Panama in WC qualifier

BY BARRY WILNER The Associated Press

WASHINGTON - Landon Donovan scored twice Wednesday night, then rising sensation Eddie Johnson connected three straight times, carrying the United States into the regional finals of World Cup qualifying with a 6-0 rout of

In a game dominated from start to finish by the Americans, it was Donovan and Johnson who left the lasting marks.

"I just want to see if I can play at this level," the 20-year-old Johnson said after scoring the first U.S. hat trick in World Cup qualifying since 1968 and only the third ever. And he did it in his second game with the national team - after scoring last Saturday at El Salvador. "This is awesome. It's what you dream of — maybe dream of just getting on the field for a few minutes or maybe scoring a goal. But three

The Americans' biggest victory since beating Barbados 7-0 in 2000 moved them one huge step closer to Germany '06. They got a spot in the CONCACAF regional finals, in which the top three of six teams automatically make the World Cup field.

And they did it with an unrelenting attack that extended their longest unbeaten string to 12 games. Only a 1-0 loss to the Netherlands in February blemishes the record. They are 3-0-2 in qualifying this year

"Qualifying is all about results," coach Bruce Arena said. "You don't get them and you don't go to the World Cup.



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Leonard, Rutgers	4	28	213	
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Purdue's Kyle Orton leads Division LA with 18 TD passes and is second in passer rating (181.6).



Virginia iunior tailback Wali Lundy is tied for the Division I-A lead with 10 rushing touchdowns.

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Stiff tests for Purdue, Virginia

By RALPH D. RUSSO The Associated Press

Fifth-ranked Purdue and No. 6 Virginia have reached lofty status without facing elite competition.



On Satur-day, the Boilermakers and Cavaliers get a chance to

prove themselves worthy of the accolades. Purdue (5-0) and its high pow ered offense, led by quarterback Kyle Orton, hosts No. 10 Wisconsin and one of the stingiest defenses in the country

Virginia (5-0), which has outscored its opponents by an average of 42-11, visits No. 7 Florida State. The Cavs are 0-6 at Doak Campbell Stadium and lost their last trip there 40-19.

"On that particular day, Florida State was significantly bigger, stronger, faster and more experienced." Cavs coach Al Groh said.

Two years ago, six freshmen started against the Seminoles including quarterback Marques Hagans, tailback Wali Lundy and linebacker Darryl Blackstock

"All of them will be starting again on Saturday. They're signifi cantly more developed than they were at that particular time," Groh said. "The other team still looks big, fast, strong and experienced to me

A win by Virginia could all but eliminate the Seminoles from the Atlantic Coast Conference title race and validate the Cavaliers as a national championship contender. The last time the Cavs were ranked this high was 1990, when Shawn Moore was passing to Herman Moore in Charlottesville.

Purdue hasn't been ranked this high in 25 years. The Boilermakers won at Penn State and Notre Dame, but the Badgers, with defensive linemen Erasmus James and Anttai Hawthorne, present a far greater challenge.

"This week, we're going to play a Wisconsin team that perhaps has been coach [Barry] Alvarez's best team ever up there," Purdue coach Joe Tiller said. "I do know one thing: I can't imagine them having had a better defense than the one they're putting on the field this week.' The picks:

No. 15 Arizona State (plus 11)

at No. 1 Southern Cal: Third straight in series: haven't played in Oxford since '88 ... TENNESstraight unbeaten opponent for ... USC 34-20. SFF 31-17. No. 14 Michigan (minus 19) at

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No. 10 Wisconsin (plus 61/2) at No. 5 Purdue: Badgers allowing 6.5 points per game; Boilermakscoring 42 per game ... PUR-

DUF 23-20. No. 6 Virginia (plus 3) at No. 7 Florida State: Two of nation's best sets of linebackers ... VIR-GINIA 24-14.

UCLA (plus 141/2) at No. 8 California: Bruins won't sneak up on Golden Bears ... CAL 41-21. Missouri (plus 14) at No. 9 Texas: Longhorns are 4-0 after losing to Oklahoma past four sea-

sons ... TEXAS 24-14. North Carolina (plus 20½) at No. 11 Utah: Utes look to go 3-0 against BCS-conference teams ... IITAH 42-20.

Vanderbilt (plus 23) at No. 12 Georgia: Bulldogs have won nine straight against Vandy ... GEOR-

No. 13 Tennessee (minus 10½) at Mississippi: Vols have won 10

Iowa: Two sputtering offenses ... Last week: 8-5 (straight); 9-4 (vs. points). Season: 93-19 (straight);

Illinois: Freshmen firing up Wol-

verines offense ... MICHIGAN

No. 23 Texas A&M (plus 7) at

No. 16 Oklahoma State: Aggies

have won four straight since ugly

opener ... OKLAHOMA STATE

at Michigan State: Gophers run-

ning for 301 yards per game . MINNESOTA 32-18.

No. 19 Minnesota (minus 9½)

No. 21 Boise State (minus 21)

Middle Tennessee (plus 281/2)

No. 24 Southern Mississippi

(plus 7) at Alabama: Battle of

backup QBs with starters hurt ...

No. 25 Ohio State (minus 2) at

at Tulsa: Broncos' second road

game; struggled in first at UTEP ... BOISE STATE 40-14.

at No. 22 Florida: Another Web

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SOUTHERN MISS 22-20.

OHIO STATE 16-13.

FLORIDA 48-16.

52-51-2 (vs. points).



Marshall makes up for WVU mistakes

BY DONNA TOMMELLEO The Associated Press

EAST HARTFORD Conn West Virginia coach Rich Rodriguez was more concerned about the 89 yards in penalties than the 300-plus yards of rushing offense piled up by his Mountaineers.

"That's the first thing I told the team after the game," Rodriguez said. "We preached it and some of them just killed offensive drives. One took away a touch-

Rasheed Marshall made up for most of the mistakes Wednesday night as 17th-ranked West Virginia racked up 309 rushing yards in

a 31-19 victory over Connecticut. A first-half penalty nullified a 51-yard TD run by Adam Jones on a reverse and the Mountaineers had to settle for a 10-6 lead at the half. Marshall, a senior quarterback.

helped West Virginia overcome its mistakes, rushing for 110 vards, throwing for a touchdown and even punting a quick kick.

He sensed he could have a big night on the ground against the

"I thought I would have a chance, especially how tight their linebackers play to the line of scrimmage," Marshall said. "I thought if I could get outside a lot on them I could put them in for a long day

One more day like that and Marshall will rewrite the Big East record book. His 1,518 yards rushing is 44 yards shy of the career quarterback mark held by Syracuse's Donovan McNabb.

"He was very sharp today men-tally," said Rodriguez, who thought his quarterback could have racked up even more yards if he stayed inhounds more

"I had to remind him three times during the game. I said, 'Make them catch you."

His 34-vard quick-kick proved to be a big one. West Virginia held a 10-6 lead late in the third when Marshall's punt pinned down Connecticut at its -vard line.

Two plays later, West Virginia safety Mike Lorello intercepted a pass that bounced off the foot of Connecticut receiver Keron Henry and ran it in 21 yards for 17-6 lead. The Mountaineers (5-1 overall, 1-0 Big East) were in control thereafter

"We got a lucky break there," Rodriguez said. "We were kind of in a rut and that sparked us a lit-

On the next possession, Marshall hit Chris Henry for 49-yard TD to extend the lead to 18 and send most of the 40,000 fans streaming for the exits.

Marshall repeatedly rescued an offense that sputtered for almost three quarters. With leading rusher Kay-Jay Harris sidelined with injuries, Marshall and Jayson Colson kept the Mountaineers' ground game going. Colson had 111 yards and one TD.

The Huskies (4-2, 1-2), who were second in the league in scoring (30.6) behind West Virginia (35.6), were held without a touch down until the fourth quarter, but made it interesting in the closing minutes. Orlovsky hit Henry for a 17-yard score with under seven minutes remaining. After Mountaineers running back Pernell Williams tacked on a 13-yard TD run, Orlovsky found Matt Cutaia for a 2-yard strike with 2:18 left.

"When you play in these situations you hope that you play your best game then because then you see exactly were you stand," Connecticut coach Randy Edsall said. "But I think I know where we . Their speed and athleticism did some things where we weren't able to make some



Houston manager Phil Garner is looking for some way to relieve the strain on his overworked pitching staff.

Pitching poverty

Stretched to the limit just to make the postseason, Astros figure to lose arms race against Cardinals

t the rate Houston Astros manager Phil Garner has been going through pitchers, there won't be any grass left on the path between his dugout and the mound by the time this National League championship series grinds to a merciful halt. Whoever said Garner has been

managing this postseason like his

Jim Litke

ed to mention that his nitching staff has third-degree burns to show for it. With potent lineups sides, both

mustache was

on fire neglect-

Houston-St Louis already has all the earmarks of a war of attrition that the Astros are

hound to lose

A quick glance at the boxscore from Wednesday night's 10-7 victory by the Cardinals in the series opener shows Garner used only four pitchers to St. Louis manager Tony La Russa's siy But that doesn't begin to tell the story.

In the Astros' case, the story bein Game 4 of their best-of-five division series with Atlanta. Leading 2 games to 1, Garner elected to go for broke, byassing possible starter Pete Munro and instead giving the ball to 42-year-old Roger Clemens, who was still recovering from a particularly nasty bout of stomach flu

It's important to pause here

and give Garner plenty of credit. He took over an underachieving ballclub in the middle of the season, presided over one of the greatest second-half runs in base ball history and gave Houston its first postseason series victory in the 42-year history of the franchise. The question now, though, is whether the way he managed to

win that one series finished off any chance the Astros had of winning this one, let alone the World

Clemens actually left Game 4 of the NLDS with the lead, but the Braves roared back to win it and the long-range effects of Garner's decision is haunting Houston's pitching staff still. Roy Oswalt had to come back on three days rest to clinch Game 5, effectively ruling out both him and Clemens until the NLCS heads south to

Houston for Games 3 and 4. And you don't even want to know what will happen if they're needed for Games 6 and 7. Since the advent of five-man rotations, starters pitching on three days rest are 7-20 in the postseason

But even that doesn't cover the extent of the damage. The short starts by Clemens and Oswalt put even more stress on a bullnen still feeling the effects of the late-seacharge that locked up the wild-card spot on the final day. In Games 3, 4 and 5 against the Braves, that already overworked crew accounted for 11 innings over just three days - and that was just a prelude to facing a St. Louis lineup that led the league in just about every offensive catego-

"I don't think we're strained," Garner said. "Our guys have not been overused coming in. I don't think we pushed anybody beyond what their normal limits would be to be able to come back

"I think," he added, "we're OK in that regard.

Time will tell, but there's no doubt Garner would switch bullpens with La Russa in a heart-beat. St. Louis' was already deeper and more talented; it ranked as the NL's best, and the only toss-up between the two would be the closers. Houston's Brad Lidge vs. Jason Isringhausen. And by now, the Cards have had a lot more rest

In their division series against the Dodgers, St. Louis relievers were called upon only once to get more than nine outs, and they resnonded masterfully, surrendering just one run against Los Angeles. Isringhausen had so little to do that after he closed out the Astros in Game 1 with just one pitch
— a groundout by Carlos Beltran in the bottom of the ninth - someone asked whether he would have been happier taking the night off.

Isringhausen chuckled. "No," Isringnausen chickica, "I think after one pitch, I'll be all right for tomorrow

In contrast to Game 1 Astros starter Brandon Backe, who pitched on three days' Munro will throw Game 2 after a lavoff of almost two weeks

"It could be a bad thing for ome guys," Munro said, "but I don't think it's going to be a problem with me

He doesn't figure to get much sympathy either way. Left-hander Andy Pettite, whose offseason move from the Yankees to Houston raised hopes that were dashed when elbow problems finished his year in late July, said every pitcher is worn out by this juncture. He took the mound twice in the postseason last year with only three days' rest.

"And I pitched as well as I ever did." Pettite said. "You count on adrenaline, try to build some momentum and then just hang on. You can make your body do some amazing things."

Right now, Garner would be happy if the local weathermen do something amazing instead, like get the forecast right. A storm front packing showers is headed for St. Louis by mid-afternoon Thursday, and it would provide relief for more than the crops.

"Praying for rain?" someone asked Garner as he headed back toward the Houston clubhouse after Game 1.

The Astros manager stopped, then turned and smiled

"You just figured that out?" he

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Cards: Astros fall in Game 1 slugfest

Given a chance to do it. Walker struck out in the eighth inning

"That's all I needed, just a home run? I think you could tell from my swings I was hacking at it pretty good," he said. "I knew what was at stake. I took a shot at it. I wasn't trying to hit a line drive.'

No one thought pitchers would rule in this series and it was an accurate prediction. Edmonds' three-run double with two outs capped a six-run sixth inning that broke the game open and put St. Louis ahead 10-4

"We got some huge hits that fell in for us," Walker said. "A string of hits is just as good as hitting the ball out of the ballpark.

Unheralded Pete Munro gets his chance to try to slow the team that led the majors with 105 victories. A guy who began the season in the minors with Minnesota, Munro will start Game 2 for Houston against 15-game winner Matt Morris on Thursday night.

For sure, Astros manager Phil Garner will find himself watching The Weather Channel. The forecast is for showers, and the wild-card Astros would certainly welcome it.

A rainout would allow them to bring back ace Roger Clemens in Game 2 and then use 20-game winner Roy Oswalt back home in Game 3.

Williams lasted six innings, adding to the victory he earned in Game 1 of the first round against Los Angeles, Jason Isringhausen got the final out for a

Chad Qualls wound up as the losing pitcher, in re-

lief of Brandon Backe. "It was just a bad day today," Backe said

Rolen, bothered by a strained left calf, was 0-for-14 in this postseason before lining a single that

made it 4-all in the fifth. "I got my one for the series," the All-Star third

baseman said. "No, I hope not." Williams' one-out double got the inning going, and Walker later snapped his bat on an RBI double. The



Reggie Sanders' broken-bat single typified the Cardinals' six-run sixth inning on Wednesday night. Of St. Louis' five hits in the inning, two were on broken bats, one didn't get out of the infield and another barely got through, dribbling over second base.

ball looped to left while the shattered barrel flew into the Cardinals' first-base dugout and sent Ed-

monds scurrying. For all the big hits, the Cardinals strung together a bunch of little ones in the game-turning sixth in-

Reggie Sanders got an infield single and pinch-hitter Roger Cedeno's groundout put St. Louis ahead. Womack and Walker added RBI singles, and another run scored on shortstop Jose Vizcaino's bounced

throw before Edmonds' big double.

Berkman hit a two-run homer in the eighth and Lamb added a solo homer in the ninth.

Major League Baseball scoreboard

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Daddy: Yankees up 2-0

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"It actually made me feel really, really good," Martinez said. "I actually realized that I was somebody important because I caught the attention of 60,000 people ... plus the whole world. ... If you reverse time back 15 years ago, I was sitting under a mango tree without 50 cents to actually pay for a bus. And today, I was the center of attention of the whole city of New York I thank God for that '

On this night, however, Lieber threw superior pitches, allowing three hits in seven-plus innings Even more remarkable, he's still recovering from elbow surgery that sidelined him last season.

"He was as good as I've seen him all year." Yankees captain Derek Jeter said.

Boston, which didn't get a runner on against Mike Mussina in the opener until the seventh inis hitting just .224 (15-for-67) in the first two games with one walk and 16 strikeouts

"I'll take responsibility for this 0-for-8 with five strikeouts," leadoff man Johnny Damon said. "I'm the catalyst of this team. I'm the guy on this team that gets us going, gets on base and creates some havoc, but I haven't been able to do that

After a day off, the series re-sumes Friday at Fenway Park, with Kevin Brown pitching for the Yankees against Bronson Ar-

"We'll regroup tomorrow," Red Sox manager Terry Francona said. "We really have no choice but to look forward to the next

Following Orlando Cabrera's single leading off the third — Bos-ton's first hit — Lieber retired 13 straight batters before David Ortiz singled in the seventh.

Working quickly, Lieber needed just 45 pitches to get through five innings - Martinez threw 46

in the first two innings alone. Lieber's biggest thorn Damon, who kept fouling balls off before lining to center in a 16-pitch at-bat with one out in the

"That was definitely one of the keys to this game," Lieber said.

Damon agreed it was a turning

"I actually felt if I got on base right there, we were going to have a big inning," he said. When Trot Nixon singled lead-

ing off the eighth, Tom Gordon came in and allowed Jason Varitek's double and Cabrera's RBI grounder. Mariano Rivera entered with a

runner on third and two outs in the eighth, just as he did Tuesday night when he jetted back from a family funeral in Panama to preserve New York's 10-7 win.

Rivera threw a called third strike past Damon to escape trouble, then finished the five-hitter for his second straight save and 32nd in postseason play

Boston headed home with the news that Curt Schilling's ailing right ankle will prevent him from starting Game 5 if it's played. Derek Lowe will start in his place, unless the schedule is pushed back by rain forecast for Game 3 on Friday night.

Back on the mound where he blew a 5-2 lead in the eighth inning of last year's Game 7, Martinez again tired against the team that frustrates him most.

He dropped to 1-2 against the Yankees in postseason play. Dur-ing the regular season, Martinez is 10-10 against New York and

172-66 against the rest of baseball "To beat him when he had his stuff like this, it really gives us a lot of confidence," Yankees man-

ager Joe Torre said. Jeter walked on four pitches leading off the first and stole secartinez nicked Rodriguez on the hand with the count 2-2, and Gary Sheffield singled to center on the next pitch, with Jet scoring easily ahead of Damon's

weak throw. Martinez struck out Sheffield on a 95 mph pitch in the fifth inning, but he got in trouble when he walked Jorge Posada with one out in the sixth and Olerud homered just into the right-field seats on Martinez's 106th pitch. It was the ninth postseason homer for Olerud, signed by the Yankees on Aug. 3 for the discount price of \$100.000 after Seattle released him from a deal that paid him \$7.7 million this year.

Schilling won't start Game 5 vs. Yankees

By JIMMY GOLEN The Associated Press

BOSTON - Boston ace Curt Schilling will not start Game 5 of the AL championship series Sunday because of an injured right ankle, although it's possible he could return later in the series

Derek Lowe will start in his - unless the schedule is pushed back by rain that is fore-cast for Game 3 on Friday night. The New York Yankees lead the Red Sox 2-0 in the best-of-seven

"We need to get to Game 5," Boston manager Terry Franco-na said, "but, yeah, it's Derek." Schilling, who led the major leagues with 21 victories, lasted just three innings and 58 pitches while allowing six runs in Bos ton's 10-7 loss to the Yankees in Tuesday night's onener. It was his poorest postseason performance since 1993.

"This team wasn't built around one player. We're fine," Boston first baseman Kevin Millar said. "This is where hernes are made "

Schilling said he had trouble with his balance and pushing off the pitching rubber, which cut down on his pitch speed.

Red Sox team physician Bill Morgan said that the sheath that covers two tendons in Schilling's ankle is torn, allowing one of the tendons to slip out of its groove and rub against a bone.

Schilling didn't feel discomfort while pitching Tuesday because he was injected with a painkiller. He was expected to be fitted for a brace that would stabilize the ankle. He was planning to test it on Thursday during the team's off-day workout, but he was still too sore to try; he may try again on Saturday.

"It's not over. He's going to continue to try to prepare," Francona said. "But as far as Sunday goes, he's not starting." Schilling told local talk radio

station WEEI-AM to say that the injury had occurred during his regular-season finale against the Yankees and not the playoff series against Anaheim.

"My No. 1 concern ... is altering my mechanics to try to ad-iust," he told the station. "If I can't pitch without altering my mechanics, then we're going to out me, which I think is entirely possible for us to do." With Schilling out, the Red

Sox have scheduled Bronson Arroyo, Tim Wakefield and Lowe for Games 3-5. If Friday night's game is rained out, the Red Sox would probably bring Pedro Martinez back for Game 5 Monday on his normal rest.

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SPORTS

A bash at Busch

Four Astros homers can't stop St. Louis

BY BEN WALKER The Associated Press

ST. LOUIS — Lance Berkman is certain the Houston Astros are going to score plenty in the NL championship series. Stopping the St. Louis Cardinals, now that's

trouble.

It sure was Wednesday night.

In a matchup that promised a lot of hitting, Larry Walker and the Cardinals delivered. They whacked balls all over Busch Stadium, overcoming four Houston home runs to beat up the Astros

10-7 in Game 1.

"You don't have to live with the long ball," Cardinals star Albert

Pujols said.

Pujols hit a home run, while slumping Jim Edmonds and Scott Rolen contributed and winning pitcher Woody Williams added a double. And it was a significant win: The past 11 teams to take the opener of the NLCS have reached the World Series.

The Astros won the home-run derby, with Berkman, Carlos Beltran, Jeff Kent and Mike Lamb connecting to account for all of Houston's runs

"No disrespect to their pitching staff, but we haven't had a problem scoring runs the entire post-season," Berkman said. "Eventually, we're going to have to win a 3-2 or a 4-1 ballgame if we're going to have a legitimate chance of doing anything in the postseason. But as far as we swung the bats, I've got no complaints."

Beltran's fifth homer of the postseason put Houston up 2-0 in the first inning. Not that the top-hitting team in the league was worried.

"We hadn't even come to bat yet," Walker said. "Right away you're thinking, 'OK, they have two runs, but let's get realistic, we haven't even made one of our 27 outs yet.'"

He was right. After Tony Womack lined out in the bottom half, Walker tripled on a ball that Berkman misplayed in right field and Pujols hit a tying shot into the Cardinals' bullpen.

In an October when the ball is flying — 58 homers in 19 playoff games overall — Walker finished a home run shy of becoming the first player in postseason history to hit for the cycle.

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St. Louis Cardinals' Albert Pujols reacts as he crosses the plate after hitting a two-run home run in the first inning against the Houston Astros in Game 1 of their NL championship series in St. Louis on Wednesday.



Yankees starter Jon Lieber took a shutout into the eighth inning.

They're still his daddy

Martinez loses duel with Lieber

BY RONALD BLUM

NEW YORK — Jon Lieber dislikes glitz and glamour, preferring to be a low-profile pitcher on the back end of the New York Yankees' rotation.

Not any more. In Game 2 of the AL championship series, he became Pedro Martinez's latest father figure.

Pitching against the three-time Cy Young Award winner, Lieber smothered the highest-scoring of fense in the major leagues. He took a shutout into the eighth inning, John Olerud backed him with a two-run homer in the sixth off the tiring Martinez and the Yankees beat the Red Sox 3-1 Wednesday night for a 2-0 lead in the M showmarks him with a Wednesday night for a 2-0 lead in the M showmarks him with a 1 wednesday night for a 2-0 lead in the M showmarks him with a 1 wednesday night for a 2-0 lead in the M showmarks him with a 1 wednesday night for a 2-0 lead in the M showmarks him with a 1 wednesday night for a 2-0 lead in the M showmarks him with a 1 wednesday night for a 2-0 lead in the M showmarks him with a 1 wednesday night for a 2-0 lead in the M showmarks him with a 1 wednesday night for a 2-0 lead in the M showmarks him with a 1 wednesday night for a 2-0 lead in the M showmarks him with a 1 wednesday night for a 2-0 lead in the M showmarks him with a 1 wednesday night for a 2-0 lead in the M showmarks him with a 1 wednesday night for a 2-0 lead in the M showmarks him with a 1 wednesday night for a 2-0 lead in the M showmarks him with a 1 wednesday night for a 2-0 lead in the M showmarks him with a 1 wednesday night for a 2-0 lead in the M showmarks him with a 1 wednesday night for a 2-0 lead in the 1 wednesday night for a 2-0 lead in the 1 wednesday night for a 2-0 lead in the 1 wednesday night for a 2-0 lead in the 1 wednesday night for a 2-0 lead in the 1 wednesday night for a 2-0 lead in the 1 wednesday night for a 2-0 lead in the 1 wednesday night for a 2-0 lead in the 1 wednesday night for a 2-0 lead in the 1 wednesday night for a 2-0 lead in the 1 wednesday night for a 2-0 lead in the 1 wednesday night for a 2-0 lead in the 1 wednesday night for a 2-0 lead in the 1 wednesday night for a 2-0 lead in the 1 wednesday night for a 2-0 lead in the 1 wednesday night for a 2-0 lead in the 1 wednesday night for a 2-0 lead in the 1 wednesday nin the 1 wednesday night for a 2-0 lead in the 1 wednesday night f

the AL championship series.
"I knew coming into this game what Pedro has done in the past in situations like this, so there was no room for error," Lieber said.

While Lieber likes being under the radar, Martinez, like it or not, can't avoid the spotlight. He had it before and it only grew larger after a loss to New York on Sept. 24 prompted him to say: "Just tip my hat and call the Yankees my daddy. I can't find a way to beat them at this point."

While the raucous crowd of 56,136 at Yankee Stadium taunt-ed Martinez with booming chants of "Who's Your Daddy?" he insisted he didn't mind.

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